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SOME DESCENDANTS OF JAMES WILSON, A REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER, OF EFFINGHAM COUNTY, GEORGIA, FORMERLY FROM NORTH CAROLINA.

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James Wilson, the progenitor of the Wilson family herein described, was born in Scotland about 1725-1735, and came to North Carolina long before the Revolutionary war. He served in the Revolutionary War in which he was commissioned Captain, April 19, 1777, in the 10th North Carolina Regiment from which he resigned May 20, 1778, and joined Captain James Mitchell's Company, May 31, 1778 until January 1st, 1780. He was taken prisoner by the British at Charleston, South Carolina, May 12, 1780, as Captain-Lt. in South Carolina Artillery Regiment.

Authority: War Department, Military Secretary's Office; Heitmans Register of Continental Officers; North Carolina Revolutionary Records, Vols. 10, 16, and 17, see Index; Office of Secretary of State, Atlanta, Georgia, Book 3K's, page 407; Appendix Smith's History of Georgia and Georgia People; Cherokee Land Lottery. Ann Wilson, widow of Revolutionary Soldier of Effingham County, Georgia (Lot in Cass County); also see D. A. R. Certificate No. 56186.

Captain James Wilson moved from North Carolina and settled in Effingham County, Georgia, where he lived until his death on March 1, 1825.

Captain James Wilson's son James Wilson served in the War of 1812 as Captain in a Georgia Regiment. See White's Statistics of Georgia.

When Captain James Wilson came to Georgia, he brought with him his first wife Sarah and their three sons, John, James, Jr.,

and Jesse. After the death of his first wife, he married second Mrs. Eliza Ann (Gordon) Pace. in 1784

Eliza Ann Gordon married first, Woodward; second, SAMUEL Pace; and third, Captain James Wilson.

The parents of Eliza Ann Gordon came from Edinburgh, Scotland, and settled in one of the Carolinas, probably South Carolina. The Gordons, McLeods, and McMillans were all intimate friends. Eliza Ann Gordon had two brothers who were on opposite sides in the Revolutionary War. One was Captain of a Company of Loyalists, while the other brother was with the Colonists.

Eliza Ann Gordon had a son Tryon Pace with whom she lived after the death of her husband, Captain James Wilson, and at whose home she died.

According to tradition, James Wilson, Jr., son of Captain James Wilson, served as a drummer during the Revolutionary War.

Children of Captain James Wilson and his first wife were:

1. John Wilson, born 1762,
   who married in 1784, and moved to Texas.
2. James Wilson, born 1764, died 1833, who married Elizabeth Morgan in 1794.
3. Jesse Wilson, born 1766,
   who married Elizabeth Cook, July 11, 1786, 1796 Effingham Co. and moved to Illinois.

Children of Captain James Wilson and his second wife, Eliza Ann (Gordon) Wilson, were:

4. Luke Wilson, born June 1, 1785, died April 23, 1861, who married Patience Crawford, March 6, 1806.
5. Gabriel Wilson, born Oct. , 1787, died May 9, 1815, who married Sarah FRANCES Oglesby, Dec. 29, 1807.

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10 6. Jeremiah Wilson, born 1792, died ~~Jan.~~ Dec. 1867, ~~1871~~, who married Elizabeth Lucas.

131 7. Elihu Wilson, born March 22, 1796, died March 19, 1856, who married Katherine Tullis, Nov. 6, 1815.

3 8. Allen Wilson, born Oct. 9, 1798, died Oct. 23, 1855, who married 1st. Mary Hurst, Dec. 6, 1821;
2nd. Serena Hurst, Jan. 25, 1827;
3rd. Margaret Fulford, Jan. 29, 1846.

9. Henry Wilson, born Sept. , 1801, died June 3, 1817.

ALLEN WILSON, son of Captain James Wilson and Eliza Ann (Gordon) Wilson, his wife, was born in Effingham County, Georgia, on October 9, 1798. He married 1st on December 6, 1821, in Effingham County, Georgia, Mary Hurst, the daughter of Thomas Hurst (Wm., R.S.) and Serena (Wylly) Hurst, his wife. Mary Hurst was born Jan. 11, 1800. To this marriage was born, in Effingham County, Georgia, the following children:

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5 1. James Thomas Wilson, born Mar. 16, 1823, died Oct. 28, 1889, who married Adaline Hendry, daughter of James Edward Hendry, (Wm., Robert, R.S.).

74 2. Gabriel Wilson, born Feb. 17, 1824, died July 16, 1868, who married Susan Fulford, a sister of Allen Wilson's third wife.

76 3. Eliza A. Wilson, born Sept. 8, 1825, died Sept. 7, 1903, who married 1st, in Thomas County, Georgia, Henry H. Jones; 2nd. Hillery B. Humphries.

Allen Wilson, together with his wife and three children, moved from Effingham County, Georgia to Thomas County, Georgia, in 1826, and settled about four miles North of Thomasville, on what is now the Thomasville-Moultrie Road. His wife Mary died here on Oct. 15, 1826.

Allen Wilson, subsequently, on Jan. 25, 1827, married Serena Hurst, a full sister to his first wife, Mary Hurst. To this marriage was born, in Thomas County, Georgia, the following children:

4. Henry Alfred Wilson, born Nov. 25, 1827, died who married Caroline Hurst, his first cousin.
5. Harriet Wilson, born June 10, 1829, died June 10, , who married David Hall, son of James Hall.
6. John Wiley Wilson, born Dec. 4, 1830, died March 25, 1902, who married Elizabeth Hall, sister of above David Hall.
7. Susannah Wilson, born April 30, 1832, died Oct. 9, 1851, who married Terrell Fielder.
8. Francis Marion Wilson, born Dec. 22, 1833, died June 8, 1868, who married Nancy Jane Coston (an orphan).

Serena (Hurst) Wilson, wife of Allen Wilson, died Nov. 5, 1843, and subsequently, on January 29, 1846, Allen Wilson married Margaret Fulford, born Jan. 5, 1825. To this marriage was born, in Thomas County, Georgia, the following children:

9. Peyton Smith Wilson, born Dec. 7, 1846, died Mar. 1, 1848.
10. Allen Wilson, born Oct. 9, 1848, died unmarried on
11. Jeremiah Wilson, born May 9, 1851, died Sept. 23, 1895, who married Susie Turner. No children.
12. Charles Wilson, born Dec. 13, 1854, died Feb. , 1876, never married.

Allen Wilson, son of Captain James Wilson, died Oct. 23, 1855, and is buried at the Wilson Cemetery about four miles north of Thomasville, Georgia, on the west side of and adjoining the Thomasville-Moultrie Road, in which cemetery his three wives are also buried. Thomas Hurst and Serena (Wylly) Hurst, his wife, are also buried in this cemetery.

JUDGE JAMES THOMAS WILSON, son of Allen Wilson, son of Captain James Wilson, was born in Effingham County, Georgia, on March 16, 1823. On October 19, 1848, he married Adaline Hendry, the daughter of James Edward Hendry and Lydia Carlton, his wife. The said James Edward Hendry was the son of William Hendry, (who was the son of Robert Hendry, R. S.) and Nancy (McFail) Hendry, (who was the daughter of James McFail, R. S.).

Adaline Hendry was born February 4, 1832. Died Nov. 1, 1895.

James Thomas Wilson and family lived in Thomas County, Georgia, until 1851 when he moved to Hillsborough County, Florida.

"Judge James T. Wilson moved to Hillsboro County, together with my father, James E. Hendry, in 1851. He went into the stock business, and at one time could count his herds by the thousands. He was also a farmer and fruit grower; was in the sawmill business, and foremost in all the business enterprises of Polk County. His home for more than thirty years was at Homeland; just prior to his death, however, he sold his entire possessions, including land, horses, groves, etc., at Homeland for $40,000. He had many reverses by becoming security for others, and otherwise, but was always in independent circumstances, and brought up his large family to become highly respected men and women. Possibly he fed more comers and goers -- friends, relatives and strangers -- than any man in Polk County. His horse-lot was full of horses, his wagon-yard full of vehicles, like a livery stable yard, and his table full of guests like a hotel. It was enough to have bankrupted any man of ordinary means. He was well known over five southern counties, and the number of his friends and acquaintances ran into the thousands.

Judge Wilson was one of the most liberal supporters of the church, and aided in everything that had charity or the advancement of morality and religion for its object. He was a good church member and an exemplary Christian, and died in the full enjoyment of the religion he had possessed, fully resigned to the will of

the Master." (from page 20, "Family Record of Lydia (Carlton) Hendry, Moody".) By Judge George W. Hendry, 1900.

prepage The children of James Thomas Wilson and Adaline (Hendry) Wilson, his wife, were:

58 1. FRANCIS JAMES, born August 28, 1849, who married Caroline M. Starnes, February 1, 1866.

63 2. AUGUSTUS MARION, born December 26, 1850, who married Callie Crum, December 31, 1868.

67 3. JOHN EDWARD, born March 29, 1853, who married first Marion Parker, January 2, 1873; second Lyde Waters, February 17, 1883.

4. MARY OREGON, born May 4, 1855, died in infancy, August 11, 1857.

5. MARTHA LIVONIA, born March 17, 1857, died in infancy, March 29, 1858.

7-82 6. CHARLES COOPER, born December 28, 1858, died November 29, 1907, who married Helen Mar Johnson, daughter of Milton Washington Johnson and Maria Ann (Knight) Johnson, his wife, on January 31, 1883.

7. ALICE JANE, born April 27, 1861, died in infancy, September 26, 1864.

68 8. THOMAS LEE, born January 30, 1863, who married Cora Hough, August 4, 1892.

9. HOLLIE ESTELLE, born November 4, 1864, died in infancy, November 15, 1864.

69 10. FLOSSIE CORNELIA, born September 2, 1866, who married Charles Edward Reed, February 1, 1887.

70 11. BEULAH BLANCHE, born September 28, 1868, who married Ernest C. Smith, August 7, 1890.

70 12. LAURA VIRGINIA STANFORD, born November 22, 1870, who married first William B. Swearingen; second Maurice Riche.

71 13. SAMUEL MOODY, born August 16, 1872, who married Mamie Kellar, August 12, 1894.

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14. HELEN LYDIA, born August 8, 1874, who married Ulysses A. Lightsey, January 4, 1893.

15. MELVILLE ASBURY HENDRY, born July 19, 1878.

CHARLES COOPER WILSON, who lived at Bartow, Florida, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, Allen Wilson, Capt. James Wilson, was born December 28, 1858, in Manatee County, Florida. He married Helen Mar Johnson, the daughter of Milton Washington Johnson and Maria Ann (Knight) Johnson, his wife, January 31, 1883. Helen Mar Johnson was born at Alafia, in Hillsborough County, Florida, November 9, 1860. Milton Washington Johnson was the son of Ephraim Johnson and Susannah (Bland) Johnson, his wife, of Sampson County, North Carolina. Maria Ann Knight was the daughter of Jesse Knight and Rebecca Caroline (Varn) Knight, his wife.

The children of Charles Cooper Wilson and Helen Mar (Johnson) Wilson, are:

See page 54 1. BRADLEY CARLISLE WILSON, born January 1, 1884, at Ft. Meade, Florida, who married Edna Earle Boyd.

2. FLOSSIE EUGENIA, born January 31, 1885, died December 3, 1885.

p. 53 3. MILTON D. WILSON, born July 23, 1886, at Ft. Meade, Florida, who married Daphne Valerie Lewis, November 18, 1914.

55 4. TOMMIE LEE, born October 2, 1887, who married Judge Chester M. Wiggins.

5. CHIPLEY CHARLES, born September 24, 1897, died July 21, 1902.

p. 56 6. ANNIE LAURA, born July 14, 1899, who married Robert C. Hutton.

p. 57 7. MAURICE JAMES, born April 6, 1902, who married Ruth Cannon.

MILTON D. WILSON, who lives at Bartow, Florida, son of Charles Cooper Wilson, who was son of the above Judge James Thomas Wilson, was born at Ft. Meade, Polk County, Florida, July 23, 1886. He married Daphne Valerie Lewis, daughter of Asa James Joshua Lewis and Isabelle Victoria (Johnson) Lewis, his wife, November 18, 1914. Daphne Valerie Lewis was born in Polk County, Florida, November 18, 1886. The above Asa James Joshua Lewis was the son of Asa Asbury Lewis (son of James Lewis and Mahala Story, his wife) and Nancy (Browning) Lewis, his wife, the said Nancy Browning being the daughter of Joshua Browning and Lydia Godwin, his wife. The above Isabelle Victoria Johnson was the daughter of Solomon David Johnson and Martha Ann (Sweat) Johnson, his wife. The said Solomon David Johnson being the son of Jared Johnson (one of the first settlers of what is now Brooks County, Georgia) and Elizabeth Echols, his wife. The said Martha Ann Sweat being the daughter of John Sweat and Carlotta Moore, his wife.

Children of Milton D. Wilson and Daphne Valerie (Lewis) Wilson, his wife, are:

1. DAPHNE LAURA WILSON, born June 20, 1918, at Bartow, Florida. who married George William Ashley March 9. 1944.
2. HELEN ISABELLE WILSON, born May 20, 1926, at Bartow, Florida.

JEREMIAH WILSON, son of Captain James Wilson, R. S., was born in Effingham County, Georgia, in 1795, and died in Brooks County, Georgia, in October 1867. He married Elizabeth Lucas, who was born in 1793 and died in ~~1878~~ 1868.

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Their children were:

14 1. MARGARET LOUISE, born 1819, who married James H. Burnett.

15 2. ELIZA ANN, born April 26, 1820, in Effingham County, Georgia, died June 27, 1903, who married Murdock M. McLeod, son of Norman McLeod.

16 3. EMILY JANE, born July 3, 1823 in Effingham County, died December 23, 1910, who married Abijah B. Crane, son of Abijah Crane.

18 4. MARY ANN, born December 3, 1824, in Walton County, Georgia, died July 24, 1898, who married Ephraim Thayer Crane, March 3, 1842.

12 5. JEREMIAH, born July 26, 1826, died January 20, 1891, who married Delilah Robertson.

17 6. SARAH ELLEN, born in what is now Brooks County, Georgia, May 4, 1834, died January 17, 1901, who married Berry Jones Folsom, son of Randal Folsom.

7. SILAS, who died in infancy.

Jeremiah Wilson was a Civil Engineer, was well educated. He played the violin and was a great lover of music. He was also a great fighter and never missed the opportunity for a good fight. He served in the Mexican War, was County Surveyor of Brooks County, and helped survey the Florida-Georgia line. His wife, Elizabeth Lucas, was blind for twenty years but recovered her sight a short time before her death and had the pleasure of seeing her children and grandchildren befor her death.

Jeremiah Wilson moved from Effingham County, Georgia, to Walton County, Georgia, about 1823. His brother, Allen Wilson, moved from Effingham County to Thomas County, Georgia, in 1826,

and Jeremiah Wilson later, about 1831, moved to that part of Lowndes County that is now Brooks County, Georgia.

Some of the names of the slaves of Jeremiah Wilson were Simon, Dennis, Frank, Mike, Clara, Louis, Alph, Joe, little Mike, Celia, Roxy, Sue and Tony.

Mrs. T. J. S. Humphreys, of Pavo, Georgia, wrote, in 1912, that she had pictures of Jeremiah Wilson and Elizabeth Lucas, his wife.

Thomas Jackson Wilson, son of Jeremiah, son of Jeremiah, wrote, in 1912, that Mrs. Sallie Youmans of Quitman had the family Bible of his father.

JEREMIAH WILSON, son of Jeremiah, son of Captain James Wilson, R. S., was born July 26, 1826, near what is now Stone Mountain, Georgia, died January 20, 1891 and is buried in Robinson Cemetery. He was a member of Primitive Baptist Church. He lived 4 miles Northwest of Cuitman, Georgia. He married on April 6, 1848, Delilah Robertson (or Robinson), daughter of James ~~Robertson~~ T. Robeson and Sarah Gibson, his wife.

Delilah (Lily) ~~Robertson~~ Robeson was born September 26, 1829, Wayne C. Rea and died May 20, 1892.

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Their children were:

#19 1. SARAH (Sallie), born June 10, 1849, who married James Taylor Strahand Humphreys, son of Alexander Strahand Humphreys.

2. ELIZABETH, born October 12, 1850, died May 24, 1862, who never married.

#22 3. JEREMIAH JEFFERSON WILSON, born March 22, 1852, who married 1st. Florence Dukes, daughter of Edward Dukes; 2nd. Minnie Lee Adams, daughter of Judge Thomas Adams.

#23 4. JAMES R. WILSON, born December 14, 1853, died August 24, 1904, who married Ada Battle.

5. FRANCIS M., born February 13, 1855, died July 19, 1899, who never married.

#24 6. ALICE, born January 19, 1857, who married Thomas Jefferson Beasley, son of James Beasley and Sarah Ann Ramsey, his wife.

#25 7. WILLIAM HENRY, born January 10, 1859, who married Hester Julia Stanaland, daughter of James A. Stanaland.

#26 8. DELILAH JANE, born October 4, 1860, died July 26, 1895, who married David Morgan McWilliams, son of Samuel Brown McWilliams.

#27 9. JOSEPH DANIEL, born November 2, 1862, who married Daisy May Justice, daughter of Charles Edwin Justice.

#28 10. MARY, born February 3, 1866, who married Joseph Lee Cook, son of Richard Lewis Cook.

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" 29 11. ROBERT E. LEE, born January 19, 1868, who married Jessie Beveridge Stewart.

" 30 12. LILLIAN, born January 15, 1870, who married Alpha Cyrus Berry, son of Joseph Festus Berry.

" 31 13. THOMAS JACKSON, born February 7, 1872, who married Fannie Ollif Cook, daughter of Richard Lewis Cook.

MARGARET LOUISE WILSON, born 1819, daughter of Jeremiah Wilson, son of Captain James Wilson, married James H. Burnett, born 1813, and had children as follows:

1. ELLEN (America Ellen ?), born 1838.
2. COLUMBUS
3. MARY A., born 1841.
4. JAMES, born 1846.
5. EMILY J., born 1844.
6. ELIZA (Catharine E. ?), born 1848.
7. JOHN W., born 1850.
8. CHARLEY J., born 1853.
9. PETER
10. FANNY
11. DUMP

Of the above, Peter Burnett was living in Live Oak, Flordia, in 1912.

ELIZA ANN WILSON, daughter of Jeremiah Wilson, son of Captain James Wilson, R. S., was born April 26, 1820, in Effingham County, Georgia, died June 27, 1903. She married in December 1837, Murdock M. McLeod, born 1813, son of Norman McLeod and Catharine McMillan, his wife. Eliza Ann (Wilson) McLeod lived near Dixie, Brooks County, Georgia.

Eliza Ann (Wilson) McLeod and her husband, Murdock M. McLeod, had the following children:

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33 1. JEREMIAH WILSON, born March 6, 1842, died January 6, 1865, who married Eliza Beasley.

2. WILLIAM NORMAN, born August 1, 1845, died August 5, 1894, never married.

33 3. ELIZABETH LUCAS, born September 1, 1849, died October 16, 1906, who married Wesley W. Slappey.

35 4. MURDOCK, born March 15, 1852, died _____, who married Maggie Carroll, daughter of Curtis Carroll.

36 5. MARY LOUIZA, born August 27, 1855, died _____, who married Thomas G. Holloway, son of Griffin Holloway.

36 6. CATHARINE L., born December 3, 1857, died _____, who married Alva George Steele, son of Thomas Steele.

36 7. WELSEY E., born November 8, 1867, died _____, who married Molly Theus, daughter of Calvin J. Theus.

EMILY JANE WILSON, daughter of Jeremiah Wilson, son of Captain James Wilson, was born in Effingham County, Georgia, on July 3, 1823, died December 23, 1910, buried near Quitman, Georgia. She married July 7, 1836, Abijah B. Crane, born 1807, and lived in Lowndes County, Georgia, son of Abijah Crane. AB Crane Died 1/10/1894 Age 80.

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" 37 1. MARY CATHARINE, born 1838, died _____, who married David A. J. Welch.

" 40 2. GEORGE BREWER, born November 12, 1841, died _____, who married Dora A. Norwood, daughter of Theodore G. Norwood.

3. SARAH ELLEN, born 1843, died _____, who married Thomas Yeomans.

" 43 4. ABIJAIL ELECTA, born December 16, 1850, died _____, who married William G. Burney.

" 44 5. EPHRAIM JOSEPH, born September 25, 1853, died _____, who married Elizabeth Zoe Wilkerson.

6. EMILY EDITH, born 1858, died _____, never married.

7. GENERAL BARTOW, born 1860, died April 5, 1862.

SARAH ELLEN WILSON, daughter of Jeremiah Wilson, son of Captain James Wilson, was born in Lowndes County (in that part now Brooks County), Georgia, May 4, 1834, died January 17,1901, and is buried at Salem, Lowndes County, Georgia. She married, November 26, 1851, Berry Jones Folsom, son of Randal Folsom.

Their children were:

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" 46 1. GEORGE GORDON, born December 31, 1852, died May 1904, who married Lucinda Daniel Kendrick, daughter of Payton Kendrick.

" 47 2. JEREMIAH WALTON, born September 11, 1855, died _____, who married 1st. Willie Butler Folsom; 2nd Mary Jane Calvert Stead.

" 48 3. WILLIAM LUCAS, born September 22, 1857, died _____, who married Carrie Bell Hendry.

" 49 4. LAURA ELIZABETH, born August 11, 1859, died _____, who married Robert Jethro Holland.

" 50 5. ROBERT EDWARD LEE, born April 10, 1861, who married Annie Lou Rountree.

6. MARY IDA, born June 1, 1865, died _____, who married Orren W. Peters.

7. CHARLES WESLEY, born June 16, 1867, died _____, who married 1st. Mary Howard; 2nd Cladie Jordan.

MARY ANN WILSON, daughter of Jeremiah Wilson, son of Captain James Wilson, was born in Walton County, Georgia, on December 3, 1824, died July 24, 1898. She married, March 3, 1842, Ephraim Thayer Crane, son of Abijah Barry Crane and Rachel Hatch Curtis, his wife.

The children of Mary Ann (Wilson) Crane and Ephraim Barry Crane, her husband, were:

1. ABIJAH B., who died in the Civil War in Confederate Army.
2. JULIA E., who married Rev. Aaron Parrish.
3. ISABELLE.
4. WILLIAM NELSON, born October 26, 1859.

SARAH (SALLIE) WILSON, daughter of Jeremiah (Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson), was born in Brooks County, Georgia, June 10, 1849, died _____, on February 24, 1869. She married James Taylor Strahand Humphreys, lived 6 miles Northeast of Pavo, Georgia, son of Alexander Strahand Humphreys and Mary Edmondson, his wife.

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Their children were:

20 1. EULA, born October 24, 1869, died _____, who married Edward Van Golding.

20 2. WILLIAM EDWARD, born September 26, 1871, died _____, who married Kate Knowles.

20 3. JAMES, born August 2, 1873, died _____, who married Sallie Burney.

21 4. JENNIE, born November 10, 1875, died _____, who married R. S. Harvin.

21 5. BETTIE, born July 13, 1878, died _____, who married Barney L. Herring.

EULA HUMPHREYS, daughter of Sarah (Wilson) Humphreys, daughter of Jeremiah (Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson), was born at Tallakos, Brooks County, Georgia, October 24, 1869, died _____. On December 5, 1886, she married Edward Van Golding, and lived at Pavo, Georgia, son of Ira Giffin Golding and Rebecca Cobb, his wife.

Their children were:

1. JAMES ROY, born 1889.
2. IRA HOMER, born 1891.
3. WILLIAM LEE, born 1893.
4. EDWARD GRIFFIN, born 1895.
5. SALLIE _____, born 1897.
6. GLADYS _____, born 1901.
7. FANNIE LOU, born 1904.

WILLIAM EDWARD HUMPHREYS, lived near Pavo, Georgia, son of Sarah (Wilson) Humphreys, daughter of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born at Tallokas, Brooks County, Georgia, on September 26, 1871, died _____.

On January 29, 1898, he married Kate Knowles, daughter of Anguish Martin Knowles and Artie Mish Ellis. Kate Knowles was born August 6, 1881.

Their children were (in 1912):

1. RUBY LEE, born June 1, 1899.
2. JAMES MARTIN, born March 15, 1900.
3. DALLAS, born July 20, 1901, died March 22, 1902.
4. JOE, born December 29, 1903.
5. DELLA, born June 11, 1905, died November 28, 1905.

JAMES HUMPHREYS, lived Moultrie, Georgia, son of Sarah (Wilson) Humphreys, daughter of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born at Tallokas, Brooks County, Georgia, on August 2, 1873. On January 1st, 1899, he married Sallie Burney, daughter of Charlie Burney and Savannah, his wife. Sallie Burney was born May 29, 1883.

Their children were:

1. CHARLIE ORIE, born February 8, 1900, died December 18, 1901.
2. WILLIAM ROBERT, born April 4, 1906.
3. DURNEY, born February 18, 1908.
4. JAMES _____, born January 8, 1910.
5. JACK _____, born October 29, 1911.

JENNIE HUMPHREYS, daughter of Sarah (Wilson) Humphreys, daughter of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born November 10, 1875, died _____. On July 25, 1893, she married Richard Samuel Harvin, and lived Pavo, Georgia, who was born November 18, 1863.

Their children were (in 1912):

1. JAMES PASCHALL, born May 15, 1894, died February 5, 1902.
2. ALLIE MAY, born June 19, 1896, died October 27, 1900.
3. SCOTT, born August 7, 1898.
4. MARIE, born February 24, 1907.

BETTIE HUMPHREYS, daughter of Sarah (Wilson) Humphreys, daughter of Jeremiah, (Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson) was born at Tallokas in Brooks County, Georgia, on July 13, 1878, died _____. On March 2, 1889, she married Barney Lawton Herrin and lives Pavo, Georgia, son of Henry Levi Herrin and Nancy A. Corbett, his wife. Barney Lawton Herrin was born May 27, 1874.

Their children were (1912):

1. EARL, born January 30, 1900, died November 12, 1902.
2. ROSA LEE, born July 28, 1902.
3. MAMIE, born October 26, 1904.

JEREMIAH JEFFERSON WILSON, lives near Pavo, Georgia, son of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born March 22, 1852, died _____. On January 17, 1875, he married Florence Dukes, born May 2, 1853, daughter of Edward F. Dukes.

Their children were:

72 1. EDWARD CLINTON, born November 15, 1878, who married Annie Pearl McNeil.

Florence (Dukes) Wilson died April 7, 1887, and thereafter Jeremiah Jefferson Wilson, on November ____, 1887, married Minnie Lee Adams, born October 2, 1865, daughter of Judge Thomas Adams of Thomas County.

To this union was born the following children:

73 2. CARL GOODWIN, born September 13, 1888, died _____, who married Lena Marie Miles.

3. EVERETT _____, born October 5, 1893, died February 4, 1894.

4. LILIE _____, born April 18, 1895.

CARL GOODWIN WILSON, lives Pavo, Georgia, son of Jeremiah Jefferson Wilson, son of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born September 13, 1888. On January 1st, 1911, he married Lena Marie Miles, born May 6, 1890, daughter of James Young Miles and Cora Bussey, his wife.

EDWARD CLINTON WILSON, lives Tampa, Florida, son of Jeremiah Jefferson Wilson, son of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born November 15, 1878, in Quitman, Georgia. On October 5, 1904, he married Annie Pearl McNeill, born March 26, 1883, daughter of James C. McNeill and Nannie E. Johnson, his wife.

Their children were (in 1912):

1. FLORENCE, born October 3, 1910.

ALICE WILSON, daughter of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born January 19, 1857, near Quitman, Georgia, died _____. On November 21, 1878, she married Thomas Jefferson Beasley, and lives near Baston, Georgia, born September 6, 1852, son of James Beasley and Sallie Ann Ramsey, his wife.

Their children were (in 1912):

1. CORA ALBA, born October 4, 1879, died _____, who married Joseph Frank Williams.
2. JOE WAYNE, born July 13, 1883, died December 3, 1894.
3. OLIN WILSON, born September 15, 1886, died July 3, 1909.
4. THOMAS HUGH, born February 10, 1891.
5. TERRY PASCO, born May 31, 1894.

CORA ALBA BEASLEY, daughter of Alice (Wilson) Beasley, daughter of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born October 4, 1879. On February 20, 1902, she married Joseph Frank Williams, lives Baston, Georgia, born March 31, 1877.

Their children were (in 1912):

1. PAUL _____, born August 20, 1904.
2. WILL OLIN, born April 15, 1909.
3. RAY _____, born October 13, 1911.

WILLIAM HENRY WILSON, lives near Baston, Georgia, son of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born January 10, 1859, died _____. On November 16, 1882, he married Hester Julia Stanaland, born December 21, 1863, daughter of James A. Stanaland and Martha A. Bryan, his wife.

Their children were (in 1912):

1. JAMES STANALAND, born September 22, 1883, who married Katherine Owens.
2. NELLIE MILDRED, born June 14, 1885, who married Claud S. Massey.
3. HENRY GRADY, born December 21, 1891.
4. MARTHA LORENA, born October 5, 1893, died December 10, 1908.
5. JOSEPH JOHN, born October 14, 1895.
6. ROBERT LEE, born October 24, 1897.

JAMES STANALAND WILSON, lives Atlanta, Georgia, son of William Henry, son of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born September 22, 1883. On June 2, 1908, he married Katie Belle Owens, born July 15, 1888, daughter of William Bartow Owens and Ophelia Ragsdale, his wife.

Their children were (1912):

1. MARTHA JEANETTE, born June 28, 1909.
2. JEWEL MARIE, born March 8, 1912.

NELLIE MILDRED WILSON, daughter of William Henry Wilson, son of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born twelve miles north of Quitman, Georgia, on June 14, 1885. On April 28, 1912, she married Claud Sheldon Massey, and lives near Baston, Georgia, born March 15, 1886, son of James Sheldon Massey and Amanda Hallman, his wife.

DELILAH JANE WILSON, daughter of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born October 4, 1860, died July 26, 1895. On November 1, 1879, she married David Morgan McWilliams, lived Griffin, Georgia, born March 31, 1860, son of Samuel Brown McWilliams and Elizabeth Folsom, his wife.

Their children were (in 1912):

1. ARVELLA, born March 24, 1884.
2. JAMES LOYD, born August 30, 1886, who married Bessie Hester.
3. BESSIE MAE, born February 20, 1888, who married Culver Pierson Jordan.
4. ETTA, born April 27, 1890, died August 30, 1908, who married Tom Morris,

JAMES LOYD McWILLIAMS, lives Pavo, Georgia, son of Delila Jane (Wilson) McWilliams, daughter of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born August 30, 1886. On February 20, 1910, he married Bessie Hester, born February 15, 1893, daughter of James Miron Hester and America Jane Murphy, his wife.

Children were (in 1912):

1. ETTA MAY McWILLIAMS, born December 14, 1910.

BESSIE MAE McWILLIAMS, daughter of Delila Jane (Wilson) McWilliams, daughter of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born February 20, 1888. On October 18, 1908, she married Culver Pierson Jordan, and lives near Baston, Georgia, born February 20, 1888, son of Joseph Garland Jordan and Lula Gertrude Garrett, his wife.

Children (1912):

1. JANIE GERTRUDE, born August 3, 1909.
2. OLIN CULVER, born August 23, 1911.

ETTA McWILLIAMS, lives Griffin, Georgia, daughter of Delilah Jane (Wilson) McWilliams, daughter of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born April 27, 1890. On March 12, 1906, she married Thomas A. Morris, born March 3, 1885, son of Alex Morris

and Fannie E. Bell, his wife.

JOSEPH DANIEL WILSON, lives Cuitman, Georgia, son of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born November 2, 1862. On August 13, 1902, he married Daisy May Justice, born July 11, 1877, daughter of Charles Edwin Justice and Jennie Belina Seipp, his wife.

NANCY WILSON, daughter of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born February 8, 1866. On December 25, 1895, she married Joseph Lee Cook, and lives at Baston, Georgia, born September 24, 1866, son of Richard L. Cook and Martha, his wife.

Children (in 1912):

1. ETHEL, born September 30, 1896.
2. RALPH, born March 24, 1898.
3. ELMER, born March 16, 1901, died May 3, 1902.
4. ALICE, born December 22, 1902, died April 26, 1904.
5. FRANK, born July 8, 1904.

ROBERT EDWARD LEE WILSON, lives Quitman, Georgia, son of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born January 19, 1868. On June 24, 1893, he married Jessie Beveridge Stewart, born March 20, 1866, daughter of William Washington Stewart and Sarah Paul Corbin, his wife.

LILLIAN WILSON, daughter of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born on January 15, 1870. On January 3, 1894, she married Alpha Cyrus Berry, and lives Quitman, Georgia, born June 6, 1869, son of Rev. Joseph Pestus Berry and Maria Parmley, his wife.

Their children were (in 1912):

1. JULIS DELILAH, born January 4, 1899.
2. JOSEPH WILSON, born December 25, 1906.

THOMAS JACKSON WILSON, lives near Quitman, Georgia, son of Jeremiah, Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born February 7, 1872. On September 30, 1896, he married Fannie Ollif Cook, born June 6, 1876, daughter of Richard Lewis Cook and Martha Gheesling, his wife.

Their children were (1912):

1. RUTH, born September 4, 1897.
2. RICHARD LEWIS, born April 28, 1899.
3. JANIE, born February 21, 1901.
4. HENRY TURNER, born April 14, 1903.
5. DILLIE, born April 17, 1905.
6. JEREMIAH TOM, born May 29, 1909.

JAMES R. WILSON, son of Jeremiah Wilson, son of Jeremiah Wilson, son of Captain James Wilson, was born December 14, 1853, died August 24, 1904. He married Ada Battle.

Their children were:

1. ANNA, who married George D. Baker of Dothan, Alabama. She died about 1906, and left one child, a boy, George D. Baker, Jr.
2. LEILA, who died at age of 15, about 1900.
3. GRACE, born about 1890, who married Charles D. Blalock of Quitman Georgia, on September 6, 1911.
4. JEREMIAH, born about 1892.

JEREMIAH WILSON McLEOD, lived Brooks County, Georgia, son of Eliza Ann (Wilson) McLeod, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in what is now Brooks County, Georgia, on March 6, 1842, died January 6, 1865. On October 15, 1862, he married Eliza Beasley, daughter of James Beasley and Sarah Ann Hamsey, his wife. Eliza Beasley, born February 27, 1844, died _____.

Their children were:

1. EDGAR E., born March 27, 1864, died _____, who married Florie E. Thous.

ELIZABETH LUCAS McLEOD, lived Dixie, Georgia and Havana, Florida, daughter of Eliza Ann (Wilson) McLeod, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born at what is now Dixie, Georgia, on September _____, 1849. Died October 16, 1906. On December 19, 1867, she married Wesley W. Slappey, son of William H. Slappey and Martha Hatfield, his wife.

Children:

1. LENNA, born November 22, 1868, died _____, who married James M. Miller.
2. WILLIE, born February 19, 1872, died _____, who married Greene E. Johnson.
3. LULA, born July 23, 1875, died _____, who married Oscar M. Gibson.
4. EUGENE HENRY, born January 25, 1878, died _____, who married Orien Womack.
5. ETHEL, born April 3, 1886, died _____, who married Hutchinson Gibson.

EUGENE HENRY SLAPPEY, lives Havana, Florida, son of Elizabeth Lucas (McLeod) Slappey, daughter of Eliza Ann (Wilson) McLeod, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born at Dixie, Brooks County, Georgia, on January 25, 1878, died _____. On June 11, 1902, he married Orien Amelia Womack, daughter of Henry Mitchell Womack and Emma McLaughlin, his wife. Orien Amelia Womack,

born February 23, 1877, died _____.

Children:

1. Unnamed infant girl, born September 19, 1904, died September 19, 1904.
2. Boy, born July 22, 1906, died September 30, 1906.
3. Boy, born October 19, 1908, died October 19, 1908.

MURDOCK McLEOD, lives near Dixie, Georgia, son of Eliza Ann (Wilson) McLeod, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in what is now Brooks County, Georgia, on March 15, 1852, died _____. On September 15, 1874, he married Maggie Carroll, daughter of Curtis Carroll and Martha Lively, his wife. Maggie Carroll, born August 30, 1857, died _____.

Children (in 1912):

1. CLAUDIA, born June 10, 1876, died November 20, 1876.
2. ERNEST, born January 13, 1879, died _____, who married Wensie Dukes.
3. BESSIE, born November 24, 1880, died _____, who married James C. Theus.
4. LILY, born February 14, 1883, single.
5. JEPTHA, born August 1, 1885, single.
6. MILTON, born December 9, 1887, died _____, who married Mercedes Willaford.
7. MAGGIE, born January 3, 1890, single.
8. MARCIA, born June 14, 1892, died _____, who married John A. Taylor.
9. LAWRENCE, born January 4, 1897.
10. WILLIAM, born February 26, 1899.

LOUIZA McLEOD, lives Longwood, Florida, daughter of Eliza Ann (Wilson) McLeod, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in what is now Brooks County, Georgia, on August 27, 1855, died _____. On November 1, 1875, she married Thomas G. Holloway, son of Griffin Holloway and Sinia Selph, his wife.

Children (in 1912):

1. EVA, born September 25, 1876, died _____, who married John McGaughey.
2. WILLIAM, born November 20, 1878, died _____, who married Bama Daniel.

CATHERINE McLEOD, lives near Dixie, Georgia, daughter of Eliza Ann (Wilson) McLeod, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born near Dixie, Georgia, on December 3, 1859, died _____ _____. On December 15, 1898, she married Alva George Steele, son of Thomas Steele and Charlotte Little, his wife. Alva George Steele, born January 28, 1857, died _____.

(No children in 1912)

WESLEY K. McLEOD, lives Callahan, Florida, son of Eliza Ann (Wilson) McLeod, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Brooks County, Georgia, on November 8, 1867, died _____ _____. On December 19, 1888, he married Mary Ann Theus, daughter of Calvin J. Theus and Lydia Mathews, his wife. Mary Ann Theus, born January 19, 1869, died March 17, 1909.

Children:

1. RUBY ESTELLE, born November 17, 1889.
2. MARY PEEL, born April 10, 1893, died May 27, 1893.
3. WESSIE ENA, born April 28, 1897.

MARY CATHERINE CRANE, lived in Brooks County, Georgia, daughter of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born _____, 1838, died _____. On October 8, 1865, she married David Andrew Jackson Welch, son of David Welch and Nancy Anderson, his wife. David Andrew Jackson Welch, born March 13, 1837, died _____.

See page Children:

1. WILLIE EMMA, born October 25, 1866, died December 16, 1885, who married Allen Johnson.
2. MINNIE, born May 28, 1870, died May 30, 1870.
3. ELECTA GERTRUDE, born August 23, 1871, died April 12, 1874.
38 4. ANNIE KATE, born May 8, 1875, died _____, who married Louis Jackson Renfroe.
38 5. FANNIE WINTER, born February 15, 1878, died _____, who married Nathan Elbert Renfroe.
38 6. AMIJAH BERRY, born December 15, 1880, died _____, who married Annie Hinton.
39 7. MAGGIE, born April 12, 1883, died _____, who married Albert Walter.
8. EMERY JACKSON, born August 15, 1886, who married Minnie Browning.
9. SALLIE MABLE, born February 11, 1891, died October 25, 1895.

ANNIE KATE WELCH, lives near Quitman, Georgia, daughter of Mary Catherine (Crane) Welch, daughter of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born near Quitman, Georgia, May 30, 1875, died _____. On December 27, 1893, she married Lewis Jackson Renfroe, son of James Jackson Renfroe and Mary Lea, his wife. Lewis Jackson Renfroe, born April 12, 1865, died _____.

Children:

1. IDA, born September 30, 1894, died September 30, 1894.
2. JOHN, born September 9, 1895, died September 9, 1895.
3. SALLIE, born November 9, 1896, died November 9, 1896.
4. ANNIE MAY, born May 9, 1899.
5. SILAS LEWIS, born April 15, 1902.
6. NELLIE LUCRETIA, born July 30, 1905.
7. MARY ELIZA, born July 20, 1908.
8. FRANKIE, born November 9, 1911.

FANNIE WINTER WELCH, lives Brooks County, Georgia, daughter of Mary Catherine (Crane) Welch, daughter of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Brooks County, Georgia, on February 15, 1877, died _____. She married Nathan Elbert Renfroe, son of James J. Renfroe and Mary Lea, his wife.

Children:

1. RUSSELL JACKSON, born October 9, 1895.
2. HENRY PRESTON, born April 4, 1905.
3. EMORY RAMSEY, born May 6, 1907.
4. COLON CRANE, born January 21, 1910.

ABIJAH BERRY WELCH, lives Olympia, Georgia, son of Mary Catherine (Crane) Welch, daughter of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Brooks County, Georgia, on December 15, 1880. On October 12, 1902, he married Annie Hinton, daughter of Edward Hinton and Alice Pulliam, his wife.

Annie Hinton, born September 17, 1884.

(No children in 1912)

MAGGIE WELCH, lives near Quitman, Georgia, daughter of Mary Catherine (Crane) Welch, daughter of Mally Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Brooks County, Georgia, on April 12, 1880, died _____.
On November 15, 1902, she married Albert Washington Waters, son of William Waters and Marshline Kirkland, his wife. Albert Washington Waters, born July 20, 1875.

Children:

1. WILLIAM HOMER, born September 26, 1903.
2. OLIVER DAVID, born September 9, 1904, died December 6, 1906.
3. NINA BELLE, born May 30, 1906.
4. JAMES LOUIS, born November 9, 1908.
5. REESE ALBERT, born March 24, 1911.

GEORGE BREWER CRANE, lives Dixie, Georgia, son of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah Wilson, Captain James Wilson, was born at what is now Pavo, Brooks County, Georgia, on November 12, 1841. On April 11, 1869, he married Dora Annie Norwood, daughter of Theodore G. Norwood and Hannah Hickson, his wife. Dora Annie Norwood, born April 4, 1845.

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Children:

1. RUSSIE EMMA, born November 18, 1870, died _____, who married John O. Beasley.
2. HORATION NELSON, born March 26, 1873, (not married in 1912).
3. SALLIE KATE, born April 4, 1875, who married Walter T. Bowen.
4. GEORGE NORWOOD, born March 2, 1877, who married Annie Lastinger.
5. JOSEPH ABIJAH, born February 19, 1879, died August 3, 1896, died single.
6. DORA BELLE, born September 5, 1882, died September 10, (unmarried).
7. EUGENE WILMER, born October 20, 1884, who married Emma Lenk.
8. ZOE EDITH, born March 13, 1886, who married Charlie Smith.

SARAH KATHERINE CRANE, lives Dixie, Georgia, daughter of George Brewer Crane, son of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born at Okapilco, Brooks County, Georgia, on April 4, 1875. On January 14, 1903, she married Walter Thomas Bowen, born July 18, 1871, son of Malachi Jones Bowen and Nancy Annie Hall, his wife.

Children:

1. JOSEPH NORWOOD, born November 3, 1903.
2. THELMA WATKINS, born October 21, 1906.
3. ANNIE LOUISE, born August 11, 1911.

GEORGE NORWOOD CRANE, lives Tallahassee, Florida, son of George Brewer Crane, son of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born near Dixie, Brooks County, Georgia, on March 2, 1877. On September 7, 1898, he married Anna Lou Lastinger, born November 30, 1873, daughter of Henry Andrew Lastinger and Emma Jane, his wife.

Children:

1. JODIE AINSLEY, born August 23, 1899, died August 31, 1899.
2. DORA VERNA, born September 14, 1900.

EUGENE WILMER CRANE, lives Ft. Myers, Florida, son of George Brewer Crane, son of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Madison County, Florida, on October 20, 1884. On January 27, 1909, he married Emma Lacy Leak, born February 18, 1886, daughter of Robert B. Leak and Martha E., his wife.

Children:

1. MARTHA ELIZABETH, born December 3, 1909.

EDITH ZOE CRANE, lives Metcalf, Georgia (Thomas County), daughter of George Brewer Crane, son of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born at Hamburg, Madison County, Florida, on March 13, 1886. On December 3, 1905, she married Charles Wesley Smith, born October 8, 1869, son of Daniel

Carpenter Smith and Louisa King, his wife.

Children:

1. WILMA EUGENIA, born October 28, 1900.
2. DORA BELLE, born September 5, 1909, died September 18, 1911.
3. DOROTHY FARLIE, born August 29, 1911.

ABIJAIL ELECTA CRANE, lives Baxley, Georgia, daughter of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born near Quitman, Georgia, December 16, 1850, died _____ _____. On December 12, 1875, she married William Green Burney, born September 27, 1840, died December 19, 1904, son of William Burney and Martha White Slater, his wife. (The Slaters were related in some way to the Wilson family).

Children:

1. EMMA CORINNE, born September 15, 1876, who married James Allen Jackson.
2. MATTIE ELECTA, born June 4, 1878, (single in 1912).
3. MINNIE ARTHUR, born December 6, 1882, who married Arthur Fort Hunter.
4. NELLIE KAYTE, born December 16, 1884, who married William DeMent Williams.
5. FULTON DALE, born July 27, 1887, died December 25, 1890.
6. BURTON CRANE, born July 4, 1889, who married Evely Tuck.
7. SARAH ELLA, born November 11, 1892, (single 1912)

EPHRAIM JOSEPH CRANE, lives Dixie, Georgia, son of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born near Quitman, Georgia, on September 25, 1853. On December 20, 1877, he married Elizabeth Zoe Wilkerson, born October 17, 1857, daughter of Samuel Wyatt Wilkerson and Queen Victoria Williams, his wife.

Children:

1. FRANKIE, born February 21, 1880, who married Ince Aldine Heard.
2. VICTORIA ELECTA, born June 2, 1883, who married Junius Oslin Macon.
3. CURTIS A., born June 12, 1886, who married Ethel Hawkins.
4. JOSEPH BREWER, born June 29, 1889.
5. SAMUEL LEON, born March 3, 1893.
6. ZOE, born May 6, 1896, died April 15, 1898.

FRANKIE CRANE, lives Moultrie, Georgia, daughter of Ephraim Joseph Crane, son of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Brooks County, Georgia, February 21, 1880. On November 14, 1901, she married Ince Aldine Heard, born October 30, 1874, son of Bailey Armstrong Heard and Catherine Rebecca Smith, his wife.

Children:

1. HOWELL CRANE, born March 21, 1903.
2. FRANCIS ALDINE, born September 22, 1909.

VICTORIA ELECTA, lives Moultrie, Georgia, daughter of Ephraim Joseph Crane, son of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Brooks County, Georgia, June 2, 1883. On December 22, 1904, she married Junius Oslin Macon, born May 8, 1878, son of Dr. Thomas Grimes Macon and Emily Culberson, his wife.

Children:

1. HAZEL, born March 24, 1910.

CURTIS A. CRANE, lives Dixie, Georgia, son of Ephraim Joseph Crane, son of Emily Jane (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain

James Wilson, was born in Brooks County, Georgia, June 12, 1886. On June 11, 1911, he married Ethel Lorina Hawkins, born July 9, 1888, daughter of Will Silas Hawkins and Mollie Sweat, his wife.

GEORGE GORDON FOLSOM, lives Mt. Pleasant, Florida, son of Sarah Ellen (Wilson) Folsom, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in what is now Brooks County, Georgia, December 3, 1852, died May 6, 1904. On May 10, 1883, he married Lucinda Daniel Kendrick, daughter of Peyton Kendrick and Mary Hosley, his wife.

Children:

1. BRYON VINCENT, born May 18, 1884, who married Inez Bethana Sykes.
2. GEORGE DANIEL, born January 8, 1886, who married Mabel Bando.
3. MARY LILLIAN, born January 9, 1888, who married James T. Hardy.
4. SARAH ELIZABETH, born April 6, 1890, died March 13, 1897.
5. JOSEPH WILLIAM, born January 29, 1893, who married Elizabeth Jane Contley.
6. CARL RANDOLPH, born March 10, 1896.
7. SAMUEL BARWICK, born October 24, 1898.

BYRON VINCENT FOLSOM, lives Quincy, Florida, son of George Gordon Folsom, son of Sarah Ellen (Wilson) Folsom, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Brooks County, Georgia, on May 18, 1884. On January 10, 1906, he married Inez Bethana Sykes, born August 26, 1888, daughter of William Sykes and Bethana Elizabeth Rozier, his wife.

Children:

1. AUBREY CLINTON, born November 14, 1906.
2. BURNARD EMMA, born August 20, 1908.

JEREMIAH WALTON FOLSOM, lives at Leesburg, Florida, son of Sarah Ellen (Wilson) Folsom, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Lowndes County, Georgia, near Nahira, on September 11, 1855. On December 1, 1880, he married Willie Butler Folsom, born February 26, 1864, died August 25, 1888, daughter of Benjamin R. Folsom and Mary Purdorn Kilgore, his wife.

Children:

1. GEORGE WALTON, born September 24, 1881, who married Effie Smith
2. ADELLA VIRGINIA, born August 23, 1884, who married Charles E. Harp.
3. CARL ROLAND, born June 26, 1886, died May 24, 1887.

After death of his first wife, Jeremiah Walton Folsom, on June 13, 1889, married Mary Jane Calvert Stead, born July 15, 1861, daughter of Samuel Lambert Stead and Mary Jane Moore, his wife. By this last marriage there was one child:

4. PEARL ESTELLA, born December 20, 1893, died July 17, 1894.

WILLIAM LUCAS FOLSOM, lives at Morven, Georgia, son of Sarah Ellen (Wilson) Folsom, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Lowndes County, Georgia, on September 22, 1857. On March 12, 1889, he married Carrie Bell Hendry, born September 30, 1867, daughter of John McFail Hendry and Carrie M. Bell, his wife. The said John McFail Hendry was quite a noted methodist preacher, in Florida and Georgia, was the son of William Hendry (son of Robert Hendry, R. S.) and Nancy McFail (daughter of James McFail, R.S.) his wife.

Children:

1. ALBERT VERNON, born June 12, 1890.
2. WILLIE MARTIN, born November 19, 1892.
3. EDGAR STEWART, born January 28, 1896.
4. MARY BELL, born September 1, 1900, died October 28, 1900.
5. GEORGE HENDRY, born March 22, 1902.
6. EUNICE PAULINE, born January 28, 1906.

LAURA ELIZABETH FOLSOM, lives near Morven, Georgia, daughter f Sarah Ellen (Wilson) Folsom, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James ilson, was born in Brooks County, Georgia, August 11, 1859. On ebruary 14, 1883, she married Robert Jethro Holland, born ebruary 20, 1853, son of Henry Holland and Nancy Phillips, his ife.

Children:

1. MAUDE, born September 24, 1884, who married Neal D. Graham.
2. EVA, born November 28, 1885, died September 21, 1906, who married John Wesley Reddick.
3. JAMES OMER, born August 27, 1887.
4. CHARLES CLINTON, born May 20, 1889, who married Sarah Janet Sarrett.
5. STELLA, born November 11, 1890.
6. EDGAR LAFAYETTE, born February 4, 1893.
7. MYRTIS, born August 29, 1897.
8. ROBERT EMMETT, born April 26, 1899, died January 21, 1901.

ROBERT EDWARD LEE FOLSOM, lives Seville, Florida, son of Sarah Ellen (Wilson) Folsom, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Brooks County, Georgia, April 10, 1861. On November 23, 1886, he married Annie Lou Rountree, born 1864, died 1899, daughter of James Rountree and Mary Braswell, his wife.

MARY IDA FOLSOM, lives near Barney, Georgia, (Brooks County), daughter of Sarah Ellen (Wilson) Folsom, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Brooks County, on June 1, 1865. On February 25, 1891, she married (Orren) Arran Wyley Peters, born July 16, 1859, son of John Daniel Peters, b. 1821 and Sallie Adaline Copeland, his wife. (Son of Wm Peters, R.S.)

Children:

1. WALTER WYLEY, born August 24, 1892.
2. RUTH ESTELLE, born September 20, 1894.
3. WILLIAM CLEVELAND, born November 6, 1896.
4. MINNIE IRENE, born September 11, 1898.
5. EUSTACE VERNON, born August 18, 1900.
6. ELLEN ELIZABETH, born June 26, 1902.
7. RUBY VIOLA, born December 13, 1904.
8. EUNICE CATHERINE, born December 31, 1907.

WILLIAM NELSON CRANE, son of Mary Ann (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah, Captain James Wilson, was born in Brooks County, Georgia, October 26, 1859.

William Nelson Crane, in 1880, married Annie M. Folsom, daughter of Thomas Folsom and Victoria Williams, his wife.

Children:

1. EUGENE THOMAS, died at age of 18.
2. LUCY, died 1912, who married A. J. Morgan.
3. ETTIE, who married Bluford Smith.
4. MYRTIE.
5. ANNIE MAY.
6. WILLIAM BENNETT.

LUCY CRANE, daughter of William Nelson Crane, son of Mary Ann (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah Wilson, Captain James Wilson, married A. J. Morgan. Lucy died 1912.

Their children:

1. GLADYS
2. GLENN
3. MARY LEE

ETTIE CRANE, daughter of William Nelson Crane, son of Mary Ann (Wilson) Crane, daughter of Jeremiah Wilson, Captain James Wilson, married Bluford Smith.

Children:

1. BLUFORD SMITH, JR.

Charles Cooper Wilson, who lived at Bartow, Polk County, Florida, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born December 28, 1858, in Manatee County, Florida. He married Helen Mar Johnson, the daughter of Milton Washington Johnson and Maria Ann (Knight) Johnson, his wife, January 31, 1883. Helen Mar Johnson was born at Alafia, in Hillsborough County, Florida, November 9, 1860.

Milton Washington Johnson was the son of Ephraim Johnson and Susannah (Bland) Johnson, his wife, of Sampson County, North Carolina. The said Ephraim Johnson was the son of Soasbe Johnson, R. S., of Sampson County, North Carolina. The said Susannah Bland was the daughter of William Bland (Wm. Wm. James) and Mary Parker, his wife. Maria Ann Knight was the daughter of Jesse Knight and Rebecca Caroline (Varn) Knight, his wife. The said Jesse Knight was the son of Samuel Knight (Thomas) and Mary Roberts (Richard Roberts, R. S.), his wife, and the said Rebecca Caroline Varn was the daughter of Frederic Varn (John) and Sarah Hiers (Jacob, R. S.), his wife, formerly of Beaufort County, South Carolina.

The children of Charles Cooper Wilson and Helen Mar (Johnson) Wilson are:

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1. BROADLEY CARLISLE WILSON, born January 1, 1884, at Ft. Meade, Florida, who married Edna Earl Boyd.
2. FLOSSIE EUGENIA, born January 31, 1885, died December 3, 1885.
53 3. MILTON D. WILSON, born July 23, 1886, at Ft. Meade, Florida, who married Daphne Valerie Lewis, November 18, 1914.
4. TOMMIE LEE, born October 2, 1887, who married Judge Chester M. Wiggins.
5. CHIPLEY CHARLES, born September 24, 1897, died July 21, 1902.
6. ANNIE LAURA, born July 14, 1899, who married Robert C. Hatton.
7. MAURICE JAMES, born April 6, 1902, who married Ruth Cannon.

Milton D. Wilson, who lives at Bartow, Florida, son of Charles Cooper Wilson, who was a son of the above Judge James Thomas Wilson, was born at Ft. Meade, Polk County, Florida, July 23, 1886. He married Daphne Valerie Lewis, daughter of Asa James Joshua Lewis and Isabelle Victoria (Johnson) Lewis, his wife, November 18, 1914. Daphne Valerie Lewis was born in Polk County, Florida, November 18, 1886. The above Asa James Joshua Lewis was the son of Asa Asbury Lewis, (son of James Lewis and Mahala Story, his wife) and Nancy (Browning) Lewis, his wife, and the said Nancy Browning being the daughter of Joshua Browning and Lydia Godwin, his wife. The above Isabelle Victoria Johnson was the daughter of Solomon David Johnson and Martha Ann (Sweat) Johnson, his wife. The said Solomon David Johnson being the son of Jared Johnson (one of the first settlers of what is now Brooks County, Georgia) and Elizabeth Echols, his wife. The said Martha Ann Sweat being the daughter of John Sweat and Carlotta Moore, his wife.

Children of Milton D. Wilson and Daphne Valerie (Lewis) Wilson, his wife, are:

1. DAPHNE LAURA WILSON, born June 20, 1918, at Bartow, Florida. who married George William Ashley, March 9, 1944.
2. HELEN ISABELLE WILSON, born May 20, 1926, at Bartow, Florida.

Bradley Carlisle Wilson, son of Charles Cooper Wilson (Judge James Thomas Wilson, Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Ft. Meade, Florida, on January 1, 1884. On April 17, 1917, he married Edna Earle Boyd, born September 10, 1889, daughter of Thomas Cooper Boyd and Elvira Martin, his wife.

They are the parents of one daughter, Edna Earle, born April 9, 1921.

Tommie Lee Wilson, daughter of Charles Cooper Wilson (Judge James Thomas Wilson, Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at Ft. Meade, Polk County, Florida, October 2, 1887. On February 23, 1916, she married Judge Chester Maurice Wiggins, born April 25, 1889, son of John Robert Wiggins and Helen Johnson, his wife.

Children of Tommie Lee (Wilson) Wiggins and Judge Chester Maurice Wiggins, are two boys:

1. THOMAS CHESTER, born February 26, 1918.
2. ROBERT CHARLES, born January 6, 1920.

Annie Laura Wilson, daughter of Charles Cooper Wilson (Judge James Thomas Wilson, Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at Bartow, Polk County, Florida, on July 4, 1899. On November 15, 1922, she married Robert Clair Hatton, born September 21, 1896, son of Robert Champlain Hatton and Clara Ellen Timbrook, his wife.

They have one child, Mary Jeanette, born at Bartow, Florida, on February 5, 1929.

Maurice James Wilson, son of Charles Cooper Wilson (Judge James
homas Wilson, Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at
artow, Polk County, Florida, on April 6, 1902. On December 7, 1927,
e married Martha Ruth Cannon, born January 22, 1902, daughter of
illiam Franklin Cannon and Martha Virginia Morrison, his wife, at
oncord, North Carolina.

They have two children at this time (1940) as follows:

. NANCY CANNON, born February 16, 1932.

. LAURA VIRGINIA, born September 27, 1939.

Francis James Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson (Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, August 28, 1849, died in Ft. Myers, Florida, February 12, 1912. He married Caroline Muller Starnes, in Polk County, Florida, on February 1, 1866. She was born October 19, 1849, died August 10, 1936. They had the following children:

page 59 1. LENA ELVIRA, born January 27, 1867, who married Edward Pan Kantz.

60 2. MAMIE ADALINE, born December 11, 1868, who married Robert Abner Henderson.

3. ELIZABETH BLANCHE, born June 22, 1871, died April 29, 1899.

4. LUCIAN MITCHELL, born January 7, 1873, died July 5, 1873.

61 5. FRANCES IOLA, born August 15, 1876, who married 1st. Joe Bostwick; 2nd. Robert Lee Mitchell.

62 6. DORA AMANDA, born June 20, 1879, who married Charles Lawrence Starnes.

7. CAROLINE GERTRUDE, born October 6, 1883, died October 29, 1883.

62 8. CARMEN ERCELLE, born April 10, 1885, who married Adrian Wentworth.

Lena Elvira Wilson, daughter of Francis James Wilson (Judge
mes Thomas Wilson, Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), of Ft. Myers,
orida, was born January 27, 1867, at Bartow, Polk County, Florida.
February 27, 1886, at Ft. Myers, Florida, she married Edward Paine
ntz, born February 1, 1853, died March 21, 1906.

They had children as follows:

VOLNEY CARLISLE, born July 23, 1887, died June 26, 1923, who married Margaret Melissa Miller.

FRANCIS EDWARD, born December 13, 1888, who married Beulah Vance (Bruton) Middleton. (no children)

DORIS SHAY, born January 27, 1890, who married Francis Asbury Hendry.

ROBERT PAINE, born May 9, 1893, died May 20, 1893.

OCTALINA, born July 27, 1894, died August 3, 1894.

GLADYS CAROLINE, born January 19, 1897, who married Roy Burton Stewart. They have one child James Burton Stewart b. Sept. 4, 1931

Volney Carlisle Kantz, son of Lena Elvira Wilson[6] and Edward Paine
ntz, her husband, was born at Ft. Myers, Florida, July 23, 1887,
ed June 26, 1923. On February 23, 1912, at Ft. Myers, Florida, he
rried Margaret Melissa Miller, born September 16, 1895, daughter
August Miller and Margaret Jane Bailar, his wife.

They had children as follows:

MARGARET ELVIRA, born September 22, 1914.

VOLNEY NELSON, born December 20, 1917.

CAROL DORIS, born July 2, 1921.

Mamie Adaline Wilson, daughter of Francis James Wilson (Judge James Thomas Wilson, Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born December 11, 1868, in Polk County, Florida, died January 15, 1935. On October 22, 1891, she married Robert Abner Henderson, born February 11, 1866, died December 28, 1930.

They had the following children:

1. ROBERT ABNER, born October 12, 1892, who married Lucie Holmes.
2. MARIE, born September 10, 1894, died February 1928, who married Dr. Wm. B. Thompson.
3. FRANCIS JASPER, born December 29, 1896, who married Blanche Alexander.

Frances Iola Wilson, daughter of Francis James Wilson, (Judge James Thomas Wilson, Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born August 15, 1876. On February 28, 1894, she married Joseph Washington Bostick, son of William Wiley Bostick, born April 25, 1874, died

They had one child:

1. ORORT WILSON BOSTICK, born June 20, 1895, who married Wm. Fincher Prince, Jr., and they have one child:
   (a) Joyce Lucille Prince.

Frances Iola (Wilson) Bostick and her first husband were divorced and she married, on May 18, 1902, at Buckingham, Lee County, Florida, Robert Lee Mitchell, born March 11, 1875, died May 2, 1938, son of Wiley Thomas Mitchell and Sarah Matilda Burroughs. They had the following children:

2. CARMEN ERCELLE MITCHELL, born March 4, 1905, who married Richard Edwards Lindsay, and they have two children:
   (a) Emma Ercelle Lindsay, born Sept. 8, 1935.
   (b) Richard Edwards Lindsay II, born Jan. 2, 1938.
3. FRANCES LEE MITCHELL, born January 11, 1907, who married Edward Clarence Newsom, Jr., and they have one child:
   (a) Edward Clarence Newsom III, born Aug. 12, 1936.

Dora Amanda Wilson, daughter of Francis James Wilson, (Judge James Thomas Wilson, Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at Ft. Myers, Florida, January 20, 1879. On September 18, 1904, she married her cousin, Charles Laurence Starnes, born May 16, 1880

Their children were:

1. CHARLES WILSON STARNES, born February 16, 1906, who married Christine Chapman.
2. SARAH CAROLINE STARNES, born January 16, 1908, who married Charles James Ligon.
3. ARTHUR LAURENCE STARNES, born December 16, 1909, died March 3, 1911.

Carmen Ercell Wilson, daughter of Francis James Wilson, (Judge James Thomas Wilson, Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at Buckingham, Lee County, Florida, on April 10, 1885. On July 9, 1905, she married Adrian Dexter Wentworth, son of James Hamilton Wentworth and Mary Jane Hendry, his wife.

They had one child:

1. ADRIAN CURTIS WENTWORTH, born February 19, 1907, who married Mildred Nalor Brown.

Augustus Marion Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson (Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, December 26, 1850, died in Sarasota County, Florida, October 8, 1931. On December 31, 1868, he married Calladonia Crum, daughter of James B. Crum and Ann Caroline Phelps, his wife. Calladonia Crum was born March 6, 1853, died February 8, 1921.

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They had children:

64 1. SOLON GARRETT, born April 23, 1870, died Dec. 20, 1942, who married Bessie Bradley.

2. FRANCIS, born June 24, 1872, died June 25, 1872.

65 3. BERTHA FLORENCE, born May 6, 1873, who married Francis Jefferson Knight.

66 4. JULIA VIOLA, born October 31, 1875, who married Thomas L. Hughes.

66A 5. CULLEN BRYANT, born July 11, 1878, died _____, who married Frances Rebecca Reaves.

66B 6. ALICE MABEL, born March 30, 1880, who married Claudius Theodore Curry.

66C 7. ARNOT ESTLEY, born January 20, 1882, who married Mary Alice Lowe.

8. Infant, unnamed, born January 1884, died in infancy

9. Infant, unnamed, born January 1885, died in infancy

66D 10. SHELBY AUGUSTUS, born July 8, 1886, who married Estelle Carn.

11. ROBIN CARLISLE, born March 3, 1888, who married Bessie Leslie.

66D 12. OPAL CLAIRE, born November 3, 1890, died 1919, who married Wayne Thomas.

13. RUTH, born February 24, 1893, died September 13, 1894.

14. RODNEY CRUM, born July 8, 1895, died Aug. 7, 1919, unmarried.

Solon Garrett Wilson, son of Augustus Marion Wilson (Judge James Thomas Wilson, Allen, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born April 23, 1870. died Dec 20, 1942 On January 29, 1896, he married Bessie Bradley, born March 21, 1875, daughter of George W. Bradley and Eugenia Munnerlyn, his wife.

The children born to this marriage were:

1. MIRIAM ELIZABETH, born May 18, 1898, who married Nathaniel Vernon Hawthorne. No children.
2. PAULA CHRISTINE, born December 18, 1903, who married Joe Butler Higdon. (No children)
3. LORRAINE ALDINE, born November 24, 1907, who married Andrew George Brown. (No children)
4. DONALD HERBERT, born September 9, 1915. ~~(single 1940)~~ who married Beulah Smalle, of Bartow, Florida

BERTHA FLORENCE WILSON, daughter of Augustus Marion Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born in County, Florida, May 6, 1873, and is now (1944) living in Bartow, Florida.

On June 7, 1892, she married Francis Jefferson Knight, born June 6, 1864, died March 12, 1920, son of Joel Knight (Samuel) and Virginia Mitchell (Thomas), his wife.

They had the following children:

1. Edgar Wilson Knight, born March 28, 1893, alive 1944, who first married Irma Tucker, of Bartow, Florida, and they had two children:
   (a) Bertha Knight, who married Herbert F. Myers. (no children)
   (b) Dorothy Knight, who married Joe Vacarro, and they have at this time (1944) two children: Jerry Vacarro and Valentine Vacarro.

   After death of his first wife, Edgar Wilson Knight has married two times but has no children by either subsequent marriage.

2. Ruth Knight, born Aug. 10, 1896, alive 1944, who first married Milton Everett Skipper, born Sept. 17, 1889, died April 16, 1934, son of Enoch Everett Skipper (John L.). They had two children:
   (a) Martha Skipper, born March 12, 1919.
   (b) Milton Everett Skipper, born July 22, 1921.

   Ruth Knight Skipper married second Harry Walter Norton, March 31, 1937. No children to second marriage.

3. Frank Jefferson Knight, born Sept. 24, 1905, who married Oraleze O'Brien, and they have had one child:
   (a) Oraleze Knight.

JULIA VIOLA WILSON, daughter of Augustus Marion Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born Oct. 31, 1875, alive 1944. On April 22, 1897, she married Thomas Lee Hughes, born May 8, 1856, died Dec. 5, 1934, of Bartow, Florida. They had the following children:

1. Thomas Wilson Hughes, born Feb. 23, 1898, died March 28, 1910.
2. Bertha Hughes, born Aug. 18, 1901, died June 10, 1902.
3. Kathryn Hughes, born July 20, 1903, who married Thomas Banks, at Bartow, Florida, and have the following children:

4. Augustus Marion Hughes, born Dec. 24, 1905, who married , and have the following children:

5. Robin Carlisle Hughes, born Sept. 8, 1908, died Jun. 10, 1924.
6. Thomas Lee Hughes, born Nov. 23, 1914, died May 2, 1922.

DR. CULLEN BRYANT WILSON, son of Augustus Marion Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R. S., was born July 11, 1873, died
On Sept. 26, 1904, he married Frances Rebecca Reaves, born
, died , and they had the following children:

1. Clyde Wilson, born , died
who married , who is now States Attorney, and lives at Sarasota, Florida.
2. Reaves Wilson, born , died
who married , and is now a practicing Physician.

REV. SHELBY AUGUSTUS WILSON, son of Augustus Marion Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born July 8, 1886, alive 1944. On , he married Estelle Carn, born , died , and they had two children:

1. Glen Wilson, born , died
   who married
2. Osborne Wilson, born , died
   who married

DR. ROBIN CARLISLE WILSON, son of Augustus Marion Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born March 3, 1888, alive and practicing his profession of Dentistry in Tampa, Florida (1944). On , he married Leona Leslie. They have two girls:

1. Gene Wilson, born
2. Lois Wilson, born

OPAL CLAIRE WILSON, daughter of Augustus Marion Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born Nov. 3, 1890, died , 1919. On , she married Wayne Thomas, of Plant City, Florida, born , and they had the following two children:

1. Opal Claire Thomas, born , died with
   tuberculosis in 1942, unmarried.
2. Wayne Thomas, born

JOHN EDWARD WILSON, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born in Hillsborough County, Florida, March 29, 1853, is now (1940) living at Lakeland, Florida. On Jan. 21, 1873, he married Winefred Marion Parker, born Apr. 14, 1853, died July 10, 1881.

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Their children were:

1. Lora Wilson, born Oct. 15, 1873, died , who married D. Wm. Brown, Jan. 15, 1895. (no children).
2. Edward Wilson, born July 16, 1875, died - scalded to death as a small child.

67A 3. Daisy Wilson, born Oct. 5, 1876, died who married D. Wm. Brown, April 26, 1899; one child.

67A 4. Thomas Smoot Wilson, born March 2, 1878, alive 1944.

67B 5. Cornelia (Nellie) Wilson, born Jan. 9, 1880, alive 1944, who married: 1st. John Hendry (John Wright, Robert M., Wm., Robert); 2nd. D. Wm. Brown.

6. Cuthbert Marian Wilson, born 1881, died in infancy.

Winefred Marian (Parker) Wilson died July 10, 1881, and John Edward Wilson married second Lyde C. Waters, on Feb. 17, 1883. Lyde Waters was born Nov. 1, 1860, died May 7, 1901.

Their children were:

7. Addie Wilson, born Dec. 4, 1883, died Aug. 2, 1903, unmarried.

67C 8. Florence Christy Wilson, born Oct. 26, 1886, who married Benjamin B. Mitchell.

9. Katie Wilson, born Sept. 15, 1891, died Aug. 9, 1892.

John Edward Wilson has married in all six times, but has had children only by his first two wives.

DAISY WILSON, daughter of John Edward Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born Oct. 5, 1876, in Polk County, Florida, died . On April 20, 1899, she married D. Wm. Brown, of Arcadia, Florida, born , died . They had one child:

1. Leora Brown, born , died , who married Ray Parker, of Lakeland, Florida, and they had two children:
   (a) William Parker
   (b) Nancy V. Parker

THOMAS SMOOT WILSON, son of John Edward Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born in Polk County, Florida, March 2, 1878, alive 1944. On , he married first Nina , born , died and they had the following children:

1. Parker T. Wilson, born
   who married
2. Winefred Wilson, born
   who married
3. Lily May Wilson, born
   who married

After the death of his first wife, Thomas Smoot Wilson married second Lillian , born , and they had two children:

4. John Wilson, born
   who married
5. Laura Wilson, born
   who married , and has two children.

CORNELIA (NELLE) WILSON, daughter of John Edward Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born Jan. 9, 1880, alive 1944. On Aug. 23, 1895, she married John Towles Hendry, born Aug. 12, 1876, alive 1944, of Perry, Florida, son of Rev. John Wright Hendry[4], (Robert McFail[3], Wm.[2], Robert[1], R.S.), and they had one child:

1. Wilson Towles Hendry, born Jan. 8, 1899, alive 1944, who married , and have three children:

Cornelia (Nelle) (Wilson) Hendry married second D. Wm. Brown, of Arcadia, Florida, born , died , from which marriage there were no children. D. Wm. Brown had previously married two of her sisters, viz: Lora Wilson and Daisy Wilson.

FLORENCE CHRISTY WILSON, daughter of John Edward Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born at Homeland, Polk County, Florida, Oct. 26, 1886, alive 1944. On , she married Benjamin Burnette Mitchell, born March 17, 1881, alive 1944, of Homeland, Florida, son of Robert Mitchell. They had the following children:

1. Thelma Elvira Mitchell, born July 31, 1904,
   who married Charles Diedeman, and they had two children:
   (a) Thomas Edward Diedeman
   (b) Virginia Ann Diedeman
2. Flossie Evelyn Mitchell, who died in infancy.
3. Laurence Mitchell, who died in infancy.
4. Mildred Mitchell, who died in infancy.
5. Jeanette Mitchell, born May 24, 1916,
   who married Raymond Clio Ogle. (no children).
6. Geraldine Mitchell, born Dec. 1, 1918.

THOMAS LEE WILSON, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born Jan. 30, 1863, died Oct. 17, 1927. On Aug. 4, 1892, he married Cora Hough, born Feb. 2, 1867, died

They were the parents of only one child, a daughter:

1. Lee Wilson, born May 27, 1893,

who married: 1st. Ernest B. Hatton;

2nd. Benjamin Meriwether.

There were no children by either marriage.

FLORENCE CORNELIA WILSON, daughter of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born Sept. 2, 1866.

On Feb. 1, 1887, she married Charles Edward Reed, born May 9, 1856, died

Their children were:

1. Elizabeth Adaline Reed, born Sept. 5, 1888,
   who married Edward LeRoy Mack, Aug. 20, 1912.
2. Charles Edward Reed, born Jan. 7, 1895, died Jan. 3, 1932,
   who married Thora Elliott, and had one child:
   (a) Charles Elliott Reed, born
   who married , and
   has (1944) one child:

ELIZABETH ADALINE REED, daughter of above Florence Cornelia (Wilson) Reed, born in Bartow, Florida, Sept. 5, 1888, alive 1944. On Aug. 20, 1912, she married Edward LeRoy Mack, born , alive 1944, at Bartow, Florida. They had two children:

1. Edward (Ted) L. Mack, born July 23, 1913,
   who married , and they have now
   (1944) one child:

2. Elizabeth (Betty) Mack, born
   who married McCord, and they now
   (1944) have one child:

BEULAH BLANCHE WILSON, daughter of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born in Polk County, Florida, Sept. 28, 1868, died at Bartow, Florida, March 31, 1937. On Aug. 7, 1890, she married Ernest Lamar Caldwell Smith, born March 25, 1865, died Dec. 13, 1895, son of Stephen Smith and Hattie , his wife.

Ernest L. C. Smith came to Polk County from Newnan, Coweta County, Georgia, and lived at Homeland, Florida. They had two children:

1. Olive Wilson Smith, born Aug. 25, 1892,
   who has never married and who is a Registered Trained Nurse, living at Bartow, Florida.
2. Ernest Lamar Caldwell Smith, born Jan. 25, 1894,
   who married Eunice May Miller, born May 22, 1902. They have one child:
   (a) Ernest Caldwell Smith, Jr., born Nov. 22, 1926.
   They live on South Oak Avenue, in Bartow, Florida.

LAURA VIRGINIA STANFORD WILSON, daughter of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born Nov. 22, 1870, died Oct. 20, 1943, at Bartow, Florida. On , she married William Bailey Swearingen, born July 6, 1865, died June 20, 1911. After the death of her husband, William B. Swearingen, she married second Maurice C. Riche, born July 18, 1872, died April 3, 1925. There were no children to either marriage.

SAMUEL MOODY WILSON, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born at Homeland, Polk County, Florida, Aug. 16, 1872, alive 1944. On Aug. 12, 1894, he married Mamie Kellar, born at Newnan, Georgia, July 6, 1875, alive 1944, daughter of Whitfield Kellar and Mildred T. Claxton, his wife, and they had the following children:

1. Harold Leland Wilson, born May 5, 1895,
   who married: 1st. Vera Irene Hill;
   2nd. Ruth Allison.
2. Mildred Adaline Wilson, born May 3, 1898,
   who married Harry W. Gallaher,
3. Laura Margaret Wilson, born Aug. 29, 1900,
   who married William Jennings Ellison. (no children).
4. Dorothy Elizabeth Wilson, born Feb. 25, 1905,
   who married Fredick Jordan Woods, May 31, 1929.

HAROLD LELAND WILSON, son of above Samuel Moody Wilson, was born May 5, 1895, at Bartow, Florida. On Nov. 9, 1915, he married Vera Irene Hill, born Aug. 25, 1897, died Aug. 3, 1923, daughter of Wm. Franklin Hill. They had two children:

1. William Earl Wilson, born April 4, 1917,
   who married Alleyne Calvin, and they now (1944) have one child:
   (a) Sarah Alleyne Wilson, born July 15, 1940.
2. Harold Leland Wilson, Jr., born April 19, 1920,
   now (1944) unmarried.

MILDRED ADALINE WILSON, daughter of Samuel Moody Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born May 3, 1898, in Bartow, Florida, who, on , married Harry W. Gallaher, born , died , of Tampa, Florida.

They have one child:

1. Sarah Jane Gallaher, born Feb. 12, 1927.

DOROTHY ELIZABETH WILSON, daughter of Samuel Moody Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born at Bartow, Florida, Feb. 25, 1905. On May 31, 1929, she married Frederick Jordan Woods, born , died , son of Lamuel R. Woods, of Tampa, Florida.

They have two children:

1. Nancy Lee Woods, born Oct. 20, 1932.
2. Frederick Jordan Woods, Jr., born Nov. 10, 1936.

HELEN LYDIA WILSON, daughter of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R.S., was born Aug. 8, 1874, died Sept. 14, 1928. On Jan. 4, 1893, she married Ulysses A. Lightsey, born Feb. 8, 1860, died May 25, 1928.

Their children were:

1. Lucile Wilson Lightsey, born Nov. 8, 1893,

   who, on Aug. 15, 1918, married James Frank Alexander, born July 2, 1894, and lives on South Oak Avenue in Bartow, Florida. They have two children:

   (a) Sarah Helen Alexander, born March 7, 1924.

   (b) Alice Elizabeth Alexander, born Oct. 8, 1926.

2. James Carlisle Lightsey, born Oct. 3, 1897,

   who married Edna Childs, but had no children.

Gabriel Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R.S.), was born February 17, 1824, in Effingham County, Georgia, died July 16, 1863, in Thomas County, Georgia, while Sheriff of Thomas County, Georgia. He is buried in the old cemetery in the City of Thomasville, west of the Court House. Gabriel Wilson married Susan Fulford, October 5, 1850. Susan Fulford was a sister of Allen Wilson's third wife.

Their children were:

1. JAMES ERASTUS, born September 10, 1852, died December 3, 1886.
2. FRANK LEVI, born April 29, 1854.
3. ROBERT NEESE, born September 18, 1856, died March 1857.
4. EDWARD MILTON, born September 18, 1856, died April 1857.
5. VERGIL WARREN, born November 2, 1858.
6. WALTER BEAUREGARD, born August 18, 1860, died June 22, 1860.
7. WILLIAM ELBERT, born October 16, 1863, died October 3, 1893.
8. LILLIAN BENATIA, born October 4, 1866, died August 1871.

Susan Fulford Wilson, wife of Gabriel Wilson, was born in Laurens County, Georgia, February 27, 1829. Gabriel Wilson served in the C. S. A. in Company G, 5th Ga. Regiment, Went off to war in Captain Brailsfords Cavalry Company. ,Was in Lee's Regiment at Richmond. Got home from the War on May 28, 1865.

James Erastus Wilson, son of Gabriel Wilson and Susan (Fulford) Wilson, his wife, was born in Thomasville, Georgia, September 10, 1852, died December 3, 1886. In January 1871, he married Jennie Tyson. To this marriage only one child was born, Susan Frances Wilson, who married B. C. Austin and had only one child, Benjamin C. who died at the age of 8 years. Susan Frances (Wilson) Austin married 2nd, Toomer Blanchard, but there were no children to this marriage. Susan Frances (Wilson) Blanchard died leaving no descendants.

William Elbert Wilson, son of Gabriel Wilson and Susan (Fulford) Wilson, his wife, was born in Thomasville, Georgia, on October 17, 1863, died October 30, 1893. He married Matilda Chastain in 1891.

There were no children to this marriage.

Virgil Warren Wilson, son of Gabriel Wilson and Susan (Fulford) Wilson, his wife, was born in Thomasville, Georgia, on November 2, 1858, died May 1885. He married Lillian Phillips. There were no children to this marriage.

There are no living descendants of Gabriel Wilson and Susan Fulford, his wife.

Eliza A. Wilson, daughter of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Effingham County, Georgia, September 8, 1825, died September 7, 1903, in Polk County, Florida.

She first married Henry H. Jones, on September 8, 1842, in Thomas County, Georgia, and had one child:

8 1. MARY E. JONES, born 1843, who married Warren Johnson in Thomas County, Georgia, and moved to Polk County, Florida, and had two children: (a) William H. Johnson, and (b) Amainda (Minnie).

Mrs. Eliza A. (Wilson) Jones next married Hillary B. Humphries, on May 4, 1850, in Thomas County, Georgia, and had the following children:

7 2. ROBERT HILLARY, born March 30, 1851, died _____, who married Cuthbert Singletary, daughter of Simpson Singletary and Martha Ann Hendry, his wife.

3. SARAH J., born March 26, 1856, died January 2, 1881, who married William Fulford, born 1845, died 1887, in Thomas County, Georgia, and had three children: (a) William Walter, born 1872, who married _____, and had children and who lived in DeSoto County, Florida, (b) Ernest E., born 1874, who married _____ _____, and lived near Wauchula, Florida. (c) Magylena, born 1879, who died unmarried.

4. JOSEPH HILLARY, born _____, 1857, died _____, who married Emma C. _____ Blount, daughter of Judge Benjamin F. Blount and Lydia Oregon Hendry, his wife. They had no children.

Mrs. Eliza A. (Wilson) Humphries, moved from Georgia to Homeland, Polk County, Florida, in 1875.

Robert Hillery Humphries, son of Eliza A. (Wilson) Humphries (Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at Thomasville, Georgia, March 30, 1851, died in Polk County, Florida, on _____. On May 6, 1875, in Polk County, Florida, she married Cuthbert Hooker Singletary, born October 1, 1855, died October 3, 1898, daughter of Simpson Singletary and Martha Ann Hendry, his wife.

They had the following children:

1. ROSA BELLE, born April 29, 1876, who married James McKillop.
2. JOSEPH HILLERY, born August 27, 1878.
3. SOLON ROBINSON, born April 26, 1880.
4. ETHEL, born January 29, 1894.

Mary E. Jones, daughter of Eliza A. (Wilson) Jones (Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomasville, Georgia,_____, and died in Polk County, Florida, on _____. On _____, she married Warren Johnson in Thomas County, Georgia, and thereafter moved to Polk County, Florida.

They had the following children:

79 1. WILLIAM H., who married Martha Jane Manley of Ft. Meade, Florida. They had several children. He was a sawmill man and lived around Wauchula, Florida.

79 2. ARMINDA (MINNIE), who married Jim Tylor of Ft. Meade, Florida. They live East of Ft. Meade, Florida.

Armanda (Minnie) Johnson, daughter of Mary E. (Jones) Johnson, daughter of Eliza A. (Wilson) Jones (Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, in 1867.

On _____, in Polk County, Florid, she married James R. Tyler (born 1860), and they had children as follows:

1. MABEL, born 1885.
2. HENRY, born 1887.
3. LEE, born 1889.
4. OSCAR, born 1893.
5. _____, a boy, born 1895.

(and probably other children)

The above information as to ages and children, obtained from Florida State Census of 1895 for Polk County, in office of Polk County Historical Commission. This census also shows Mary E. (Jones) Johnson, age 48, and a widow living with her daughter Armanda (Johnson) Tyler.

William H. Johnson, son of Mary E. (Jones) Johnson, daughter of Eliza A. (Wilson) Jones (Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, in 1862.

On _____, in Polk County, Florida, he married Martha Jane Manley, born 1861, and they had the following children:

1. J_____ M_____, born 1887.
2. G_____ L_____, born 1888.
3. BESSIE, born 1890.
4. MAGGIE, born 1891.
5. PARSON, born 1893.
6. (baby), born 1895.

(and probably other children)

This information as to ages and children was obtained from the above mentioned State Census of 1895.

Henry Alfred Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born near Thomasville, Georgia, _____, died in Georgia _____. He married Caroline Hurst, _____, who was his first cousin, being a daughter of Thomas J. Hurst.

Their children were;

1. KEZIAH, born 1847, who married _____.
81 2. JASPER IVEY, born 1850, who married 1st. Matilda (Carlton) Elwell; 2nd. Mrs. Julia Amanda (Ezell) Powell.
3. ISAAIH, born _____, who married _____ _____.
82 4. JOHN THOMAS, born _____, who married Ida Williams.
83 5. JAMES SEWARD, born _____, who married Mamie Jamieson.
84 6. MELISSY, born _____, who married Joe Williams.
85 7. MARGARET, born _____, who married Green Williams.
86 8. SARAH JANE, (JENSIE), born _____, who married John Allen Fertic.

Henry Wilson served in C. S. A. in Company G, 5th Georgia Regiment.

Jasper Ivey Wilson, son of Henry Alfred Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, on _____, died in Polk County, Florida, on _____. He married 1st. Matilda Carlton, a daughter of Stephen Carlton. She was the widow of Daniel Elwell at the time of this marriage. Jasper Ivey Wilson had no children by this marriage, and after the death of his first wife, he married 2nd. Mrs. Julia Amanda (Ezell) Powell, widow of Theophilus Powell, and daughter of James Allen Ezell and Elizabeth Chastain, his wife.

Jasper Ivey Wilson and Julia Amanda, his wife, had two children:

1. AMANDA, born November 20, 1892, who married Joseph George Flood of Ft. Meade, Florida. They have several children.
2. HENRY JAMES, born September 11, 1894, who married Catherine Louvinia Herring. (no children)

Jasper Ivey Wilson moved from Thomas County, Georgia, to Polk County, Florida, about 1878 and settled northeast of Ft. Meade, Florida.

John Thomas Wilson, son of Henry Alfred Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. E.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, on _____, died in Polk County, Florida, on _____. On _____, he married Ida Williams, and they had the following children:

1. OLLIE, who married Sam Collins of Plant City, Florida.
2. MAMIE, who married 1st. V. Young; 2nd. George Rowan.
3. OTIS, who married Ruby David, daughter of the Davis Twins. They live in Tampa, Florida.
4. JACK, who married _____. Lives at St. Petersburg, Florida.
5. NELLIE, who married _____ Mills.
6. CLAUDE, who married Lila Ulmer, and lives at Ft. Meade, Florida.
7. MAGGIE

(also several other children who died in infancy)

James Seward Wilson, son of Henry Alfred Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomasville, Georgia, on _____. Came to Polk County, Florida, about 1878, and died in Polk County, Florida, on _____. On _____, he married Mamie Jameson, and they had the following children:

1. SCOTT, who married Annie Gunter, who lives at Auburndale, Florida (1936).
2. ETHEL, who married John B. Pollard; lives at Bareah, Polk County, Florida (1936).
3. ELLEN, who married Ed. Hay; lives at Bartow, Florida (1936).
4. EDWARD, who lives at Auburndale, Florida (1936).
5. LUTHER
6. EMILY, who married _____ Brown; lives at Lakeland, Florida.
7. GEORGE, who married Minnie Fuller; lives at Ft. Meade, (no children).

Melissa Wilson, daughter of Henry Alfred Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, on _____. She came to Polk County, Florida, about 1878, and died _____. On _____, she married Joe Williams (widower of her sister Kiziah), and had two children:

1. MINNIE LEE, who married Walter McCrone.
2. ROSA LEE, who married Ayers, and lives at Cyprus, Florida.

Minnie Lee McCrone was dead (1936) and left two girls, one is married (1936) and lives in Plant City, Florida.

Margaret Wilson, daughter of Henry Alfred Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, on _____. She moved to Polk County, Florida, about 1878, died _____. On _____, she married Green Williams, and they had children:

1. BERTHA
2. MAY
3. WILEY

Sarah Jane (Jennie) Wilson, daughter of Henry Alfred Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, on _____, 1871. She came to Polk County, Florida, about 1878, and died in Polk County, Florida, on January 24, 1895. On _____, she married John Allen Fortie, and they had the following children:

1. CORNELIA MAUDE, born September 9, 1890, who married Paul Hancock, son of Shade Hancock; lives at Socrum, Polk County, Florida.
2. CARRIE CLAUDIA, born August 18, 1892, who married Henry Poucher; lives Ft. Meade, Florida, and had one child, Leo, who died unmarried.
3. DAISY WILLIS, born January 1, 1895, died when about 9 years of age.

Cornelia Maude Fortie, daughter of Sarah Jane (Wilson) Fortie, (Henry Alfred Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Polk County, Florida, September 9, 1890. On _____ _____, she married Paul Hancock, son of Shade Hancock and Laura, his wife. They now live at Scorum, Polk County, Florida. They had the following children:

1. DWIGHT LAMAR, born May 25, 1909.
2. THERON ORRIS, born January 1, 1911.
3. EARLE
4. S. J.
5. LAURA BELLE

Harriet Wilson, daughter of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, June 10, 1829, died _____, and is buried in the Wilson Cemetery north of Thomasville, Georgia. She married David J. Hall, son of James Hall*and Mary, his wife.

Their children were:

89 1. ELIZABETH (BESSIE), born 1850, who married James Brooks.

2. HENRIETTA, born 1852, who married Alex Godbolt.

90 3. SUSAN SALVADOR, born 1854, who married Reneau Duren.

4. JAMES L., born 1855, who marries 1st. Minnie Baston, his cousin; 2nd. _____ Cochran; 3rd _____ Twitty.

5. VIRGINIA A_____ (JENNIE), born 1859, who married 1st. J. W. Jackson; 2nd. Ed. Wheeler.

6. HARRIET (HATTIE), born 1863, who married Jim English.

7. IDA IDELLA, born 1865, who married Alex Godbolt.

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*(according to James William Duren, David J. Hall was the son of Juniper Hall and Serena, his wife.)

Elizabeth (Bessie) Hall, daughter of Harriet (Wilson) Hall, daughter of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomasville, Georgia, _____, 1850. She married Jim Brooks, and had the following children:

1. JULIA
2. GORDON, of Lake Providence, La.

Susan Salvador Hall, daughter of Harriet (Wilson) Hall, daughter of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born near Thomasville, Georgia, _____, 1854. She married Reneau Duren, and had the following children:

1. JAMES WILLIAM
2. D. C. DUREN
3. BELLIE, who married Tom Vann of Thomasville, Georgia.
4. MAUDE, who married W. T. McMath of Thomasville, Georgia.
5. EVALINA, who married Charles Maulden of Moultrie, Georgia.
6. LOTTIE, who married Harry Brocklebank.
7. RENEAU

James William Duren, son of Susan Salvador (Hall) Duren, (Harriet (Hall) Wilson, daughter of Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, on _____, and is now (1940) living about 3 miles north of Thomasville on the Thomasville-Moultrie Highway. On _____, 1900, he married Bama Bulloch, daughter of James N. Bulloch and Susan (Singletary) Bulloch, his wife, and they have the following children:

1. JOSEPH D. DUREN
2. JAMES N.
3. SUSAN
4. EVELYN
5. OLLIE
6. ROY

John Wiley Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, December 14, 1830, died March 25, 1902, and is buried in Wilson Cemetery northeast of Thomasville, Georgia. John Wiley Wilson married Elizabeth Hall about 1855, in Gadsen County, Florida, said Elizabeth Hall being the daughter of James Hall and Mary, his wife. Elizabeth Hall, born in Gadsen County, Florida, April 5, 1837, died in Thomas County, Georgia, November 4, 1911.

Children of John Wiley Wilson and Elizabeth Hall, his wife, were:

93 1. FLORENCE JOSEPHINE, born November 15, 1856, died May 12, 1898, who married William Russell Brooks.

94 2. MILTON AUGUSTUS, born April 14, 1858, died December 3, 1927, who married Virginia Elizabeth Redding, born January 26, 1860, died July 24, 1923.

95 3. JOHN WILEY, JR., born January 12, 1860, died _____, who married Nettie Nesbitt.

4. MARY ALICE, born January 5, 1862, died November 4, 1864.

96 5. JAMES IRADELL, born October 13, 1864, died _____, who married Annie Dekle, daughter of John Dekle.

6. FRANCIS JUDSON, born March 18, 1867, died _____, who married Joannie Adeline Palmer.

97 7. EDWARD PARRIS, born August 4, 1871, died February _____, 1905, who married Susie Jordan.

8. MINNIE ELIZA, born March 18, 1869, died _____, who married William Russell Brooks.

9. GERTRUDE E., born August 2, 1875, died _____, who married Pope McCroskey.

98 10. OSCAR ELDON, born July 7, 1878, died _____, who married Naomi Colvin.

Florence Josephine Wilson, daughter of John Wiley Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, November 15, 1856, died May 12, 1893. She married William Russell Brooks, son of James Russell Brooks and Nancy Daniel Grace, his wife, November 13, 1878. William Russell Brooks, born March 17, 1855, died April 20, 1911.

Their children were:

1. RUSSELL JOSEPH, born March 10, 1880.
2. JOHN WILLIAM, born July 30, 1882, died August 5, 1900.
3. GLEN GRACE, born September 14, 1884, died September 15, 1885.
4. JULIA ELIZABETH, born August 10, 1886, died September 2, 1887.
5. MINNIE GERTRUDE, born June 19, 1888, married Freeman.
6. NANIE MAY, born September 29, 1890.
7. HANSELL MORRILLE, born August 30, 1894

Milton Augustus Wilson, son of John Wiley Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, April 14, 1858, died December 3, 1927. He married Virginia Elizabeth Redding, daughter of James P. Redding and Hulda Elizabeth Hill, his wife, on September 13, 1882. Virginia Elizabeth Redding, born January 26, 1860.

Their children were:

1. VIOLA ELIZABETH, born August 18, 1883, who married Joseph N. Donaldson.
2. FLORRIE ALICE, born November 15, 1885, who married William Everette McKinnon.
3. SALLIE LORENA, born November 22, 1887, whom married Simemon Culpepper Davis.
4. EARL AUGUSTUS, born November 26, 1889, died January 21, 1891.
5. EUGENIA GERTRUDE, born December 24, 1891, who married William Harvey Wages.
6. MILTON FRED, born January 12, 1894, died September 23, 1895.
7. HULDA JAMER, born February 12, 1898.
8. NANNIE LOU, born March 22, 1899.

John Wiley Wilson, son of John Wiley Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, January 12, 1860. He married Nettie Nesbitt, daughter of Joseph Thomas Nesbitt and Luisa Stephens, his wife, December 17, 1890. Nettie Nesbitt, born August 8, 1870.

Their children were:

1. JOSEPH SHERWOOD, born August 13, 1882.
2. RUTH ANNE, born September 12, 1888, who married _____ Singletary.

James Tradell Wilson, son of John Miley Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, October 13, 1864, died _____. He married Annie Deklo, daughter of John William Deklo and Amanda Ann Serena Hurst, his wife, September 13, 1891.

Their children were:

1. RALPH DEKLE, born July 5, 1892.
2. ROBERT LEE HUGH, born June 2, 1895, died June 28, 1896.
3. JAMES HAL, born June 22, 1897.
4. ANNABETH, born June 23, _____.

Edward Parris Wilson, son of John Wiley Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born August 4, 1871, died February 27, 1906. He married Susie A. Jordan, January 10, 1894.

Their children were:

1. EDNA ELIZABETH, born March 20, 1898, died November 27, 1905.
2. JAMES EDWARD, born November 6, 1905.

Oscar Eldon Wilson, son of John Wiley Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born July 7, 1878. He married Naomi Colvin, daughter of Daniel Renner Colvin and Arrena Taylor, his wife, July 5, 1903.

Their children were:

1. GERALD COLVIN, born October 2, 1904.
2. JOHN DANIEL, born August 17, 1908.
3. ARRENA MARIE, born May 17, 1911.
4. RUTH ELIZABETH, born August 13, 1912.

Francis Marion Wilson, son of Allen Wilson (Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Thomas County, Georgia, December 22, 1833 died June 8, 1866. In 1856, he married Nancy Jane Coston, born March 12, 1841, in Stewart County, Georgia, died in Polk County, Florida, January 9, 1887.

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They had five sons and one daughter as follows:

100 1. JAMES ALLEN, born December 12, 1847.

102 2. FRANCIS MARION, born April 6, 1859.

3. MELVILLE DOZIER, born September 19, 1860, died December 10, 1878, unmarried.

103 4. NANCY EUGENIA, born April 9, 1862.

107 5. CHARLES LEE, born September 18, 1863.

6. WILLIAM CAPERS, born May 2, 1865, in Clay County, Georgia, died _____, at Homeland, Florida. Licensed to preach October 1886. He never married.

James Allen Wilson, (Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.) was born in Thomas County, Georgia, December 12, 1857, died July 29, 1930, in Polk County, Florida. On January 14, 1880, he married Hallie Cebelle Whitfield, born May 18, 1858, in Putnam County, Florida, died July 18, 1937, in Polk County, Florida.

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They had the following children, all born in Polk County, Florida:

1. EMORY PELOTE, born October 23, 1880, who married Daisy N. Polk.
2. MARION DOZIER, born February 18, 1883, who married Estelle M. Hamilton.
3. CLAUDE EVANS, born July 6, 1885, who married Bertha J. Boston.
4. EVA IRENE, born September 23, 1887, who married George M. Mitchell (no children).
5. HORTON WHITFIELD, born July 14, 1889, who married Marian Dortch.
6. PAUL ERNEST, born September 10, 1891, who married Lillian Marie Waller.

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Paul Ernest Wilson, son of James Allen Wilson (Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at Homeland, Florida, on September 10, 1891. On April 2, 1921, he married Lillian Marie Waller, born October 21, 1900, daughter of Samuel Anthony Waller and Aurelia Jane Willis, his wife.

They have three children as follows:

1. PAUL ERNEST, born February 6, 1923.
2. JAMES CECIL, born August 7, 1926.
3. CLAUDE EVANS, born July 29, 1931.

Francis Marion Wilson, son of Rev. Francis Marion Wilson (Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in _____ _____County, Georgia, April 6, 1859, died _____ _____ in Bartow, Polk County, Florida. On December 17, 1884, he married Adelaide Victoria Hendry, daughter of Judge George Washington Hendry, (James Edward, Wm. Robert, R.S.). She was born April 13, 1866, died February 21, 1894.

They had the following children:

1. EUGENIA OGLESBY, born April 4, 1886, who married Ivan O. Davis, and lives in Benton, Arkansas. (no children)
2. CECIL HENDRY, born August 30, 1889, who married _____, lives at Bartow, Florida.
3. ROLAND COSTON, born November 20, 1890, died _____, who married Ruth _____. Had one daughter.

After the death of his first wife, Dr. Francis Marion Wilson married Florence Carson, daughter of Rev. _____ Carson, on October 10, 1895, and had two children as follows:

4. HELEN MARIAN, born December 5, 1897, who married _____ _____.
5. LAYTON, born November 27, 1898, who married _____.

Nancy Eugenia Wilson, daughter of Rev. Francis Marion Wilson (Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born April 9, 1862, in _____ County, Georgia, died in Polk County, Florida.

On Aug. 29 1876, she married Benjamin F. Moody, son of Benjamin Moody and Lydia (Carlton) Moody, his wife; the said Lydia Carlton having married 1st. James Edward Hendry.

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The children by this marriage were:

104 1. MELVILLE WILLIAM, born November 17, 1879, died who married 1st Lillian Sands. No children by 1st, marriage. He married 2nd. Mrs. Meda (Durrance) Donahue, daughter of James Allen Durrance and Gabriella Julia Carlton, his wife.

2. FREDERICK LESTER, born December 28, 1881, who married Mollie LaRue, daughter of Mark H. LaRue and Annie Pylant, his wife, (no children to this marriage).

105 3. KLINE BARNETT, born September 6, 1883, who married Callie Hortense Kennedy.

106 4. MABLE ADELAIDE, born March 14, 1886, who married Raymond M. Dillon.

5. EUGENIA RUTH, born November 29, 1895, who married John Wesley Parker, son of Thomas H. Parker. They have no children.

William Melville Moody, son of Nancy Eugenia (Wilson) Moody, (Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at Homeland, Polk County, Florida, on November 7, 1879. Now (1940) lives at Miami, Florida.

On September 18, 1905, he married 1st. to Lillian Sands. There were no children to this marriage. On May 21, 1916, he married 2nd. Mrs. Meda (Durrance) Donahue, born November 24, 1889, daughter of James Allen Durrance and Gabriella Julia Carlton, his wife.

Their children are as follows:

1. ESTON WRIGHT, born August 2, 1917.
2. MARY LOUISE, born May 7, 1920.
3. LYDIA LEE, born May 25, 1925.

Kline Barnett Moody, son of Nancy Eugenia (Wilson) Moody, (Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at Homeland, Polk County, Florida, on September 6, 1883. On January 3, 1910, he married Callie Hortense Kennedy, born February 16, 1884, daughter of Ransome Martin Kennedy and Anna Belle Steele, his wife. They now (1940) live in Miami, Florida.

They had children as follows:

1. KLINE BARNETT, born March 20, 1918.
2. ALICE HORTENSE, born May 9, 1921.
3. BENJAMIN FRANKLYN, born May 9, 1926.

Mabel Adelaide Moody, daughter of Nancy Eugenia (Wilson) Moody, (Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at Homeland, Polk County, Florida, March 14, 1886. On September 26, 1906, she married Raymond M. Dillon, born 1884, at Miami, Florida, where they now (1940) reside.

They had the following children:

1. MELVILLE EDMUND, born October 22, 1907.
2. ELIZABETH, born August 19, 1909, who married Wm. Francis Theobold, Jr.
3. EUGENIA, born September 16, 1912, who married Ralph Fred Allen.
4. RUTH ROSEMARY, born May 30, 1919.

Elizabeth Dillon, daughter of Mable Adelaide (Moody) Dillon, (Nancy Eugenia (Wilson) Moody, Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at Miami, Florida, on August 19, 1909. On June 12, 1931, she married William Franklin Theobald, Jr., born September 28, 1907. They have one child, Elizabeth Anne, born November 16, 1933.

Eugenia Dillon, daughter of Mabel Adelaide (Moody) Dillon, (Nancy Eugenia (Wilson) Moody, Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born at Miami, Florida, on September 16, 1912. On June 17, 1935, she married Dr. Ralph Fred Allen. They have one child, Jayne Carolyn, born November 10, 1936.

Charles Lee Wilson (Rev. Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Clay County, Georgia, September 18, 1863, and now (1940) lives at Bartow, Florida. On September 29, 1885, in Polk County, Florida, he married Ada E_____ Mitchell, daughter of _____ and _____, his wife.

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Ada E. Mitchell was born in Polk County, Florida, on July 19, 1868 and is now (1940) living.

They had the following children:

108 1. BEULAH AGNES, born July 17, 1886, who married R. Ira Barnett.

2. VIDA M_____, born April 2, 1888, died September 28, 1895.

109 3. ROBERT BORDEN, born January 26, 1890, who married Mamie Forsyth.

110 4. FRANK LUCIEN, born May 20, 1892, who married 1st. Elsa Sutton; 2nd. _____ Hoover.

111 5. LEO HUGHES, born February 19, 1897, who married Maude Parry.

Beulah Agnes Wilson, daughter of Charles Lee Wilson (Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Polk County, Florida, July 17, 1886. On _____, she married Rev. A. Ira Barnett, and their children are:

1. VIDA, born _____, who married Rev. Robert Early.
2. ELIZABETH, born _____, who married Jack Davis.
3. HOYT, born _____ (single 1940).

Robert Borden Wilson, son of Charles Lee Wilson (Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Polk County, Florida, January 26, 1890. On _____, he married Maude Forsyth, daughter of _____ Forsyth and Maude Ferguson, his wife.

They are the parents of only one child:

1. MELISSA, born _____.

Frank Lucien Wilson, son of Charles Lee Wilson, (Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Polk County, Florida, May 20, 1892. On _____, he married Elsa Sutton, and had the following children:

1. EVELYN, born _____, who married Herbert Frazier,
2. RANDAL, born _____ (single 1940).

Frank Lucien Wilson married 2nd. Miss _____ Hoover, but there are no children to this marriage at this time (1940).

Leo Hughes Wilson, son of Charles Lee Wilson (Francis Marion Wilson, Allen Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Polk County, Florida, February 19, 1897. On _____, he married Maude Parry, and they have children as follows:

1. LEE, born _____.
2. ROSE MARIE, born _____.
3. BETTY JANE, born _____.

The following pages 112 to 143 from notes of Mrs. Caroline Price Wilson, wife of Dr. Walter S. Wilson, of Savannah, Georgia.

We do not know, now, who was the first wife of James Wilson, but she had three sons:

1. JOHN, born 1762, married _____, 1784, moved to Texas.
2. JAMES II, born 1764, died 1833, married Elizabeth Morgan, 1794.
3. JESSE, born 1766, married Elizabeth Cook, July 11, 1796, moved to Illinois.

(See page ~~130~~ for Grace Wilson, born 1772.)

James Wilson married 2nd. Mrs. Ann (Gordon), who had previously married Mr. Woodward and Mr. Pace.

James and Ann (Gordon) Wilson married about 1784, and had the following children:

4. LUKE, born June 21, 1785, died April 23, 1861, married Patience Crawford, March 6, 1806. See page ~~129~~.
5. GABRIEL, born October 1787, died May 9, 1815, married Sarah Oglesby, December 29, 1807.
6. JEREMIAH, born 1792, died January 1877, married Elizabeth Lucas, moved to Brooks & Lowndes County.
7. ELIHU, born March 22, 1796, died March 19, 1856, married Katherine Tullis, November 6, 1815.
8. ALLEN, born 1798 October 9, died October 23, 1855, married 1st. Mary Hurst, December 6, 1821; 2nd. Serena Hurst; 3rd. Margaret Fulford. See page _____.
9. HENRY WILSON, born September 1801, died June 3, 1817.

James Wilson died March 1, 1825, in Effingham County, Georgia, and he and his wife, Ann (Gordon), are buried in family graveyard.

Cherokee Lottery -- Ann Wilson, widow of Revolutionary Soldier in Effingham County, (lot in Cass County).

Jeremiah Wilson sol. Lowndes County.

Ann (Gordon), 2nd wife of James Wilson, died October 17, 1832.

Her sons by her 1st husband, Mr. Woodward, were:

1. WEST WOODWARD

2. JAMES WOODWARD -- Baptist minister.

(among the assets of the Estate of James Wilson, Sr., was a note of James W. Woodward for $50.00)

Her son by her 2nd husband, Mr. Pace, was:

3. TRYON PACE, who married Mary Dykes, August 16, 1798, and they had three sons: James, George and Raiford. His will made 1845 says wife "Unity", who was the sister of his first wife, both daughters of Noah or Levi and Unity Dykes. They had also a son Jesse Dykes.

Effingham County Records:

Jesse Dykes, admr. on Estate of Levi Dykes, 1793.

Martha Dykes, married Jas. Garrison, July 4, 1799.

Noah Dykes, married Sally Slaton, February 4, 1797.

Mary Pace, married Nathaniel Hull or Hall, May 30, 1806.

Jesse Dykes, died about 1830, wife Mary, children:

Jesse, George and Pensy, wife of Turner Willis.

Tryon Pace mentions in his will 1845, wife Unity.

Children: George, (omits Rainford - perhaps dead)

James

Unity

Mary, married Henry Thomas Morgan.

Sarah, married Jackson Tiner *

Noah, died 1845, or another Noah did.

*There was a relationship between the Tiners and the Wilsons:

1791, James Wilson deed of gift to Elijah Tiner.

3 October 1791, John Wilson, Jr. deed of gift Ephraim, son of above Tiner.

Ann Gordon

North Carolina Colonial and Revolutionary Records might give some data on the Gordons. It is believed they came from Scotland with that emigration to North Carolina, and it appears they were royalists. It is said that her brothers were officers in British Army, but showed her husband, Captain James Wilson, many courtesies during the war. North Carolina records, Vol. 16, page 506, Mrs. Margaret Gordon seeks protection from Gov. of North Carolina for her property until she returns from South Carolina, February 7, 1782.

From Effingham County records, it appears that James Wilson, Sr. had brothers, Dr. Jesse Wilson and Dr. William Wilson, and possibly John, as there was a John Wilson there who married Maria Rudelsperger, November 19, 1760. In the church (Ebenezer) Records, he is called "a foreigner".

Margaret Wilson, who married 1st. a Mr. West and 2nd. Howell Hines, in 1803, was probably a sister of James Wilson. (Yes)

There is also on record a John Wilson, wife Susannah, who had a daughter Martha, born April 29, 1777, who married Gideon Zettler

April 16, 1797, and a daughter Susannah who married Christian Zipperer, February 22, 1801.
(Martha Wilson's Godmother was Martha Bishop). After Gideon Zettler's death, she married Emanuel Zipperer, September 26, 1803.

A Robert Wilson and wife, Rachel, were in this county, who had a son Zachariah, born April 12, 1771.

A Samuel Wilson, son of Samuel, was born March 4, 1776. (Ebenezer).

Rachel Wilson married Thomas Garnett, January 8, 1772 ("By license from his honor, the Commander of South Carolina" -- Ebenezer church). She was probably the daughter of Robert and Rachel, on preceeding page.

In connection with these names it may be mentioned that there was a Robert and Rachel Wilson married in North Carolina. She was a daughter of John Pritlow. Robert died 1758.

Much of these families in North Carolina Historical Register. (Hathaway)

Robert surgeon in 6th North Carolina Regiment, enlisted April 16, 1776, died October 28, 1777.

Georgia Colonial Records -- "John, younger son of William Wilson 1746" grants on Ogeechee.

260 acres to John Wilson, Jr., Sept. 1765, passed from Benjamin Wilson, deceased Christ Church Parish.
1762 Nov. 300 acres to John Wilson, Christ Church Parish.
1770 June 300 acres to John Wilson, wife and three children. In province 30 years.

1790, Isaac Wilson assisted in surveys in Effingham County.
This name appears in North Carolina, wife Elizabeth Perry.
Both dead, in 1749-57, but leaves sons Isaac and James and Robert, etc.

Year Book of Ky. Soc. Sons of the American Revolution
Henry, Andrew, James, Jeremiah, and John Wilson.
(All of these names appear in the family of Capt. James Wilson).

Colonial Families - (Mackensie) Margaret, daughter of Richard and Alice Lowndes, born 1691, married James Wilson of Bostock House, Sandback County, Chester, England.

Is there any connection with James Wilson having a sister Margaret?

Refer to page 114, Margaret (Wilson) West, who became the 2nd wife of Howell Hines, whose 1st wife, Martha, had a daughter Elizabeth Mary Hines, who married in 1829 Josiah Wilson of Liberty County, Georgia. This family is supposed to be related.

Howell Hines and 1st. wife, Martha, had the following children:

1. JAMES HINES, father of Mrs. Rufus E. Lester, of Savannah, Ga.
2. THOMAS, had a son Thadeus Hines.
3. ELIZABETH MARY, who married Dr. Josiah Wilson, parents of General Claud Wilson.

Bullock County will of Jane Wilson, wife of A. J. Wilson and daughter of Gen. Lee senior Daughter Mary, wife of Jasper Wilson, son in law William McLean, daughter Ann, wife of William Lester.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus E. Lester were cousins.

Dr. William Wilson (was dead in 1793), brother of Captain James, married Sarah Hynes. (Sarah Hynes (or Hines) was a sister of Howell and Jesse Hines.) (Had children - 1769).

Children now known:

1. DR. WILLIAM WATKINS WILSON
2. THOMAS

Dr. William Watkins Wilson, Sheriff of Effingham County, married 1st. Mary Shearouse.

Their children were:

1. DR. WILLIAM HOWELL WILSON, next page.
2. THOMAS, married Eliza Backley, December 29, 1831, page 119.
3. JESSE, Baptist minister, grad. Penfield, married Miss Anza Dawson of Grahamville, South Carolina.

Dr. William Watkins Wilson married 2nd. Mrs. Henrietta (Gindrat) Clark, mother of Judge Richard, and Rev. J. O. A. Clark. Mrs. Clark was the daughter of Henry Gindrat of the Canton of Berne and Dorcas (Williams) (Stafford) of North Carolina.

Dr. William Watkins Wilson studied medicine with Dr. Josiah Wilson of Liberty County, who was the father of Gen. Claude Wilson, the father of Mrs. Karow, of Savannah, Ga.

Dr. William Wilson, who died in 1793, practiced medicine in Savannah, Georgia.

Dr. William Howell Wilson, married January 18, 1860, Georgia A. E. Davis, of South Carolina, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Goethe) Davis; she had a brother James A. Davis (S.C.)

Their children were:

1. KATHERINE, born October 28, 1860, died young.
2. EUGENIA, born October 2, 1862, married William Causey, of South Carolina.
3. JESSE, born July 10, 1864.
4. MARGARET, born April 3, 1866, married William Biddenback.
5. GERTRUDE, born February 2, 1868, married Thomas O'Neill, of South Carolina.
6. FLORENCE, born November 9, 1869, married W. A. Ferribee, of South Carolina.
7. JESSIE, born September 13, 1872, married _____ Wall, Rincon, Georgia.
8. RICHARD, born December 8, 1874, married Almeda Graham.
9. HATTIE, born March 4, 1876.
10. ANNA BELLE, born February 16, 1879, married Thomas Harris, Florida.
11. CLARA, born June 3, 1881, married 1st. Frank Ulmer; 2nd. Jas Donan.
12. MIRIAM, born September 13, 1883.

Thomas A. Wilson and Eliza Buckley were married December 29, 1831, and had the following children:

1. ELIZA, Bulloch County.
2. SUSAN, married Mr. Williams, had son Claude.
3. SARAH, married Mr. Philips.
4. ALICE, married Mr. Wilder, Savannah, Georgia.
5. GEORGE, married Jane Young of Sapelo Island to N. Y.

Effingham County records:

William Wilson, married Olive Day, October 12, 1804.

David Wilson (of Bulloch County) married Polly Temples, September 30, 1806.

James Wilson, son of James and 1st. wife. (His will probated November 4, 1833). He married Elizabeth, daughter of Lewis Morgan. She was born January 10, 1777.

Their children were:

121 1. JOHN, born 1799, married Susannah Rahn. (page 121)

122 2. HENRY M., married Hannah Mingledorf. Hannah married 2nd. William O. Rahn, December 14, 1849; his first wife was Mary Pengree. (page 122)

123 3. KESIAH ELLY, married Louis Grovenstein. (page 123)

124 4. REBECCA, married 1st. Peter Kettles; 2nd. John Gardner. (page 124)

5. JAMES, "died at 21 of toothache".

John and Susannah (Kahn) Wilson. He was born 1799, died 1857, will probated 1863.

Their children were:

1. ELIZABETH, born October 21, 1821.
2. JAMES JONATHAN, born November 2, 1823, married Julia George. (page 125)
3. JOHN WINBURN, born November 10, 1825, married 1st. Mary Mossee Ryalls, and 2nd. Catherine Haupt. (page 126)
4. MARY ANN, born September 18, 1827-8, married Frederick Gnann. (page 127)
5. WILLIAM, born March 30, 1839, married Martha A.
6. GEORGE GALPHIN, born February 28, 1836, married Mary Fleetwood. Had twin sons, George and Wheeler, and daughter Stella, who married Charles Lanier, and daughter who died about 14 or 15.
7. SUSANNAH MARGARET, born March ____, 1832, died October 1850.
8. HENRY GALPHIN, baptised April 11, 1840.

Henry M. Wilson, will probated May 5, 1842. Married Hannah Mingledorf.

Their children were:

1. *AMELIA, married Frank Berry.
2. *MARION, married 1st. Elvira Mallette; 2nd. Jane Pace.
3. JOHN (probably)

*Amelia and Frank Berry had the following children:

1. ALBERTA.
2. CLAUDE T., married Ida Quantock (died Oct. 1926). Her brother John married Sallie Wolf.
3. GAZAWAY, married 1st. Eliza Rahn; 2nd. Elvira Exley.

*Marion and Elvira Mallette had the following children:

1. LAURA, married Freyer-Mouth.
2. ADA, married John Morgan, son of Green.
3. WILLA, married Carl Tilman.
4. KOLLOCH, married Josephine Pace.

Kosiah Ellen (Wilson) and Louis Grovenstein married June 14, 1838, and had the following children:

1. LOUIS II
2. SHADRACH, married Miss Bryan.
3. GEORGE
4. AMANDA, married 1st. Mr. Jarrell; 2nd. Young Mosel.
5. HANNAH, married George Gnann.

*Rebecca (Wilson) and 1st. husband, Mr. Peter Kettles, had children as follows:

1. SARAH, married Mr. Rieser.
2. AMANDA, married Alexander Porter, son of Benjamin and Sarah (Kennedy) Porter; had *Peter, Crum, Henry.

*Rebecca (Wilson) married 2nd Mr. Gardner, no children.

*Peter Porter married Amelia Berry, and had children as follows:

1. HATTIE, married Emmet Cooper.
2. MEYERS,
3. NOLA, married Walter Davis.
4. ZULA, married _____.
5. LUCILLE.

James Jonathan Wilson and Julia Pelham George married November 13, 1856, and had the following children:

1. JOSEPH, born March 24, 1858.
2. SUSANNAH RAHN, born March 2, 1860, married Ed. A. West.
3. JAMES PELHAM, born July 10, 1863, married Fannie Maunde, died July 1904.
4. LALEAH ADAMS, born June 8, 1871.
5. WILLIAM GEORGE, born June 22, 1867, married Octavia U. Keiffer, April 1, 1897.

William George Wilson and Octavia Keiffer had children as follows:

1. JAMES KEIFFER, born January 10, 1898.
2. PAUL NEWTON, born October 21, 1900.
3. NELLIE OCTAVIA, born May 17, 1903.

Effingham County will of James Wilson 1876, daughter Henrietta K., wife of George N. Tison; Rebecca C., wife of William Remshart; Margaret Frances, wife of Lawrence T. Elkins; Ann E., wife of Edward Bird; Louise, wife of Eugene A. Kebler, to children of Mary E. Foy, deceased.

John Winborn Wilson, born November 10, 1825, died 1881, married 1850, Mary Massee Ryalls, born 1826, died 1870.

Their children were:

1. JAMES HENRY, born 1851, died 1859.
2. REBECCA TALULAH, born 1853, died 1859.
3. SARAH ANN, born 1855, died 1866.
4. MARY ETIOLE, born 1857, died 1859.
5. JOHN, born 1859, died in 1887 in Texas, never married.
6. WYMAN P., born 1861, married Adele Ederington, 4 children.
7. LEE RYAL, born 1863, married Mattie Zirkle, 6 children.
8. C. C., born 1866, died 1870.
9. HARVEY BIRD, married Carrie Dibrell.

John Winborn Wilson and 2nd. wife Catherine Haupt had the following children:

10. OLIVE N., born 1871, married J. W. Rourk, died 1930.
11. NETTIE MAY, born 1873, married G. W. Ratliff.

Mary (Wilson) and Frederick Gnann had the following children:

1. JOHN BENJAMIN, married Matilda Rieser; had Margaret and John.
2. *MARY ELIZA, married John W. Rieser.
3. *CHARLES FREDERICK, married Alice Rieser.
4. LILIAN GERTRUDE.

*Mary Eliza and John W. Rieser had children as follows:

1. MARY ELIZABETH, married Homer Helmly.
2. SALLIE GERTRUDE
3. NELLIE CAROLINE
4. CLEWS FREDERICK
5. WALTER ALLEN
6. GEORGIA MATILDA

*Charles Frederick Gnann and Alice Rieser had

1. SUSIE WINGARD, born 1890.
2. CARLES BOWERS
3. FREDERICK BARTOW

Dr. Jesse Wilson (brother of Captain James Wilson), wife Elizabeth, had the following children:

1. WILLIAM WILSON

Dr. Jesse Wilson had a masonic (silver) medal which was lost in Springfield, Georgia, and found by a negro Scipio, who gave it to Dr. Howell Wilson, a great nephew.

The following concerns the descendants of Captain James Wilson and 2nd. wife Ann Gordon.

Luke Wilson (son of Captain James Wilson, R. S.) and wife, Patience Crawford, whose mother, Mrs. Grace Crawford married 2nd. Mr. Christopher Bailey, in this way she is frequently referred to as Patience Bailey.

Their children were:

1. ELIAS, born February 2, 1807, died July 15, 1831.
2. LYDIA, born May 1, 1809, died May 11, 1839, married Thomas Blitch.
3. ANN, born November 11, 1811, died July 6, 1886, married 1st. James Hurst; 2nd. Thomas Whitney.
4. HARRIET, born January 5, 1814, died November 11, 1877, married Benjamin Blitch.
5. ALLEN, born June 4, 1816, died July 10, 1881, married Amy Greiner, March 30, 1839.
6. MARTHA, born May 3, 1818, died December 31, 1835.
7. LUKE C., born December 24, 1821, married Ann Catherine Greiner, August 10, 1841.
8. ELEANOR, born December 9, 1824, married Joshua Greiner.
9. DELIA, born December 12, 1828, married Shepherd Davis.
10. MATILDA, born _____, died April 21, 1853, married Thomas Wheeler.*

*It was from the Wheelers that the Tullos side board was bought.

Dec. 9, 1814, Luke Wilson, private in Captain Donohoe Company at Ft. Moultrie (Artillery), intestate. James Humphrey, Adm.

Gabriel Wilson, born October 1787, died May 9, 1815, married Sarah Oglesby, December 26, 1807.

2 page Their children were:

144 1. JAMES ELBERT, married Lavinia _____. (He died 1866).

144 2. GRACE, married Louis Mullette.

(nothing further)

There is a record in Ebenezer Church registry of Grace Wilson, daughter of James and Sarah, born January 3, 1772, but so far it does not appear that she was the daughter of Captain James Wilson, as he was not married to Ann Gordon until after 1781-2, and came to Georgia with him. However, the record may be accounted for in this way. When children were baptised, the date of the birth was sometimes given tho not always the locality. As Gabriel had a daughter by this name, it is probable it was for his half sister.

Why could not Grace Wilson have been the sister of the first three sons of James, by his first wife?

Elihu Wilson (son of Captain James Wilson, R. S.), born March 22, 1796, died March 9, 1856, married Catherine Tullis, born March 17, 1794, died 1835. Married on November 6, 1815.

2 page "She was slender, tall and fair, with dark eyes and hair".

Children:

131 1. CAROLINE,* born September 1, 1816, died April 13, 1893, married 1st. Jefferson Zipperer, and 2nd. Berry Davis.

132 2. HENRY JAMES, born September 27, 1818, died June 27, 1861, married Frances Edwards. Page 132.

133 3. JOHN BERRIEN, born March 17, 1823, married Jane Amanda Edwards.

4. ANN ELIZABETH, born August 3, 1825, married January 18, 1847, Israel Hinely, Palatka, Florida.

136 5. STEPHEN ALFRED, born September 3, 1829, died May 2, 1897.

134 6. ELI WESLEY, born 1833, died 1914, married Sarah Jane Davis, sister of Benjamin.

135 7. ANDREW, born January 29, 1838, married Lavinia Shuptrine.

Elihu Wilson married 2nd. Mrs. Ann (Achord) Warren. Think she had a brother, John S. Achord.

Charleston, S. C., 1771, Eleanor Tyner ad. Wm Tyner, Pr. Frederick Parish.

* Caroline Wilson married 1st. Mr. Jefferson Zipperer, February 22, 1838. Had no children.

She married 2nd. Mr. Benjamin Joseph Davis; had one daughter who 148 married Mr. Seckinger.

Henry James Wilson (Elihu, Captain James Wilson, R. S.) married June 16, 1841, Frances Edwards who was born October 24, 1818, died March 28, 1875.

Children:

1. JOHN, born October 12, 1842, died C. S. A. service, September 28, 1863.
145 2. FLORENCE, born August 19, 1844, married Lorenza Strange.
3. HENRIETTA, born April 27, 1846, married William Creech.
4. SARAH, born March 14, 1848.
5. ELIHU, born July 5, 1850, married November 23, 1871, Valeria Lee.
6. HENRY C.
145 7. LOUISIANA, born July 13, 1855, married Joseph Graham.
146 8. AMANDA, born December 12, 1858, married November 22, 1877, Frank Creech.

John Berrien Wilson (Elihu, Captain James Wilson, R. S.) and Jane Amanda Edwards married June 6, 1841. Had one daughter:

1. ALZADA CAROLINE, born January 17, 1843, married February 6, 1861, Joseph M. Lee.

Mrs. Jane Amanda Edwards (Wilson) married 2nd, Barnet Newton, born October 1799, died 1860. (his 1st. wife Mary Brasswell)

Children:

2. ISAAC, married Bessie Edwards.
3. LAFAYETTE, married Laura Lee.
4. REBECCA, married J. R. Ingraham.
5. TABITHA, married David H. Lee.
6. CHARLOTTE OLIVIA, married Jacob Elbert Freeman.
7. LOUISIANA, married John H. Kemp and Sidney Haupt.
8. SARAH, married James Thadeus Shuptrine.
9. WILLIE, married Averitt Ingram.

Mrs. F. E. Johnson and Mrs. Branch LaFar have much data on this line.

October 3, 1936.

Dear cousin Milton: there are bits of data on families "other side" so save them for me.

Cousin Carrie

Eli Wesley Wilson (Elihu, Captain James Wilson, R. S.) married Sarah Jane Davis, October 21, 1854.

Children:

1. CAROLINE ELIZABETH, married Thomas W. Gibson.
2. LAURA, married William Donaldson.
3. ISABELLA, married John E. Watkins.
4. EMMA JANE
5. BENJAMIN STERLING, married Mattie Veal.
6. ARIZONA, married Elijah A. Jones.
7. JULIA ELLEN, married William Sorews.
8. JAMES ANDREW, married Lucy Hartley.
9. LULA, married John B. Veal.
10. JOHN E., married Annie E. Lamb.
11. ADA LEONA, married J. W. Cook.
12. PATRICK HENRY, married Lois Waller.
13. ROBERT ELLIOTT
14. ALEXANDER HAMILTON

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Nothing is known of descendants of Mrs. Ann Elizabeth (Wilson) Hinely, (daughter of Elihu Wilson), who married Israel Hinely of Palatka, Florida.

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Andrew Wilson (Elihu, Captain James Wilson, R. S.) and Lavinia Shuptrine had children as follows:

1. JOHN ANDREW, married Josephine, daughter of Dr. Richard Dawson.
2. LEILA, married 1st, Charles Barfield; 2nd, William Stewart.
3. ALBERT, married Miss Davis, daughter of Gilbert Davis.
4. MINNIE, married Allen Malphus.

Stephen Alfred Wilson (Elihu, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), born September 3, 1829, died May 2, 1897, married 1st. Jane Lavinia Dasher, January 30, 1852.

Married 2nd. Laura Davis, sister of his brother Elis' wife, January 24, 1854.

Married 3rd. Tabitha Edwards, May 27, 1857. She died August 2, 1914.

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Children only by last marriage:

147 1. WALTER SCOTT, born February 24, 1858, married Caroline Price. (Price Book)

137 2. HORACE EMMET, born May 23, 1859, died October 18, 1934, married Lula Rogers.

138 3. FRANCES KATHERINE, born October 20, 1861, died October ____, 1933, married 1st. Louis Marshell Ryals; 2nd. Radcliffe Horden.

4. FRANK CHEATHAM, born December 19, 1864, married Mrs. Sofie Dunnington Dunham. (no children)

5. ELIZABETH, born August 20, 1869, died October 10, 1873.

139 6. MARY MURCHISON, born August 31, 1872, married 1st. Chas. Lafitte; 2nd. Oscar Williams.

Horace Emmet Wilson and Lula Rogers married November 27, 1889.

Children:

1. ROGERS MURCHISON, born February 7, 1891, married 1st. Julia Goodwin, 1914; married 2nd. Mrs. _____.

Frances Katherine Wilson and Louis M. Ryals married December 18, 1879.

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Children:

140 1. ELIZABETH CABELL, born December 23, 1880, married H. R. Blickle, (Penn.)

140 2. LOUISE MARSHALL, born January 19, 1885, married Carlos Craviota, (Mexico). Married 2nd. Bartlett Arkell.

Mary M. Wilson and Charles Lafitte married January 17, 1900.

Children:

1. MONTAGUE, born October 26, 1900, died October 16, 1901.
2. STEPHEN WILSON, born October 28, 1901.

Mary Wilson Lafitte married 2nd, Oscar Williams, January 4, 1911.

H. R. Blickle and Elizabeth (Ryals) married June 26, 1906.

Children:

1. H. R. B., Jr., born January 10, 1914.

Carlos Craviota and Louise Ryals, married February 11, 1908, and had one child:

1. ELIZABETH COUSUELO, born November 20, 1908.

Military record of Captain Stephen A. Wilson.

"He enlisted in Confederate service, March 10, 1862, as Lieut. but was soon promoted to the Captaincy of Co. I. 47th Georgia Volunteers. His first service was in Savannah. He was at Ft. Jackson, Mississippi, and with Johnson's army was sent to relieve the garrison at Vicksburg, and was in hearing of the cannonading when that city surrendered.

He participated in battles of Lookout Mountain, Missionary Ridge, Chicamauga, and in the running fight from Dalton to Atlanta. At.Pine Mountain he received a wound in the head, but after he recovered, he joined his command to drive the federals from St. John's Island, and was at St. James Island when General Sherman reached Savannah. His Company was at Honey Hill and Coosawhatchie where it remained until Charleston was evacuated, when he went home to remove his family to a place of safety. After this, finding himself cut off from his command, he joined General Frank Cheathams corps, with which he remained until the surrender."

From application papers for membership in U.D.C. and for veterans medal, which was granted to his son, Walter S. Wilson, April 1910.

For sketch of Captain Stephen A. Wilson, see Memoirs of Georgia, Vol. 2, by Putnam Reed.

Captain Wilson's brother-in-law, Aaron Cone Edwards, was Colonel of 47th. Georgia Volunteers.

Tarboro, N. C., 1780 Receipt of Susanna Wilson, Guardian to James Wilson. Ex. of Est. of Isaac Wilson. Legacy due Willie Wilson, orphan of Isaac. Wit. William Wilson-Ephraim Duken.

1779 (Ibid) Isaac Wilson (will) sons William, John, and James, and Wife Susanna, daughter Anny Cotton.

David Wilson (Scotch-Irish) to America (Va) prob. Married a Witherspoon, some of the family remained in Virginia others came to South Carolina. Mrs. Henry Hyman, San Antonio, Texas.

Savannah C. H. Will of William Wilson, evidently of Parish Branham, Yorkshire, England (merchant).

*Wife Ann Abigail (married 3 - Joel Bridges (it seems)
son, William
daughter, Ann Maria
Parents, Thomas and Hannah Wilson
Brothers, Thomas and John
Sister, Mary Webster.

Test. Benj. Brooks, Joel Bridges, William Joyner.
September 18, 1807.

*Wife Abigail was Ann Abigail (Scruggs) the widow of James Greenhow, and ward of Rev. John Goldwire.

James and John Wilson of St. George and St. Andrews.
(Ga. Col. Rec.)

1782 (a) James Wilson married in South Carolina, Eliz. Quarterman.
1804 - Josiah Wilson married Mary Stewart (Liberty County)

Mecklinburg County, North Carolina, First settlers, Samuel Wilson (visited by cousin Sir Robert Wilson) married 1st. Mary Winslow; 2nd. Mrs. Howard; 3rd. Margaret, sister of James Jack.

Alexanders History of Mecklinburg.

James Wilson "signer"

Married about 1771, Miss Rachel Bird of Berks County, Pennsylvania. Had six children. She died 1786. He married 2nd, Miss Hannah Gray who had one son, Henry, who died in infancy.

Biog. of Signers etc.

James Elbert Wilson (Gabriel, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), born _____, died _____. He married Lavinia _____, and had children as follows:

1. MARY, who married David Morton.
2. REBECCA, who married _____ Arnsdorf.
3. JAMES, who married Mrs. Lee of Statesboro, Ga.
4. CLAUDE
5. GEORGE, who married Julia Smith.
6. HENRY

Grace Wilson (Gabriel Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R.S.), born _____, died _____. She married Louis Mallette, and had the following children:

1. JULIA, who married Benj. Arnsdorf.
2. ALBERT BACKMAN, who married Ella Weekly.
3. JOHN LOUIS, who married Lily Edwards, daughter of Wesley Edwards.
4. GEORGE, who married Emily Zitterauer.
5. CLAUDE, who married Hattie, daughter of Martin Gnann.
6. OSSIE
7. OLLIE, who married Bessie, daughter of Joseph Hodges.
8. ALLEN, who married Amelia Hinely.
9. WILLIAM, who married Lucretia Hinely.
10. JERRY, who married (1) Alberta Usher (2) Emma Stevens.
11. JOSEPHINE, who married Elton Hodges.

Florence Wilson (Henry James, Elihu, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born August 19, 1844. On February 9, 1861, she married Lorenza Strange, and had following children:

1. ELIZABETH, who married Jerome Graham on December 22, 1881, and had Leroy, Herbert, who married Elizabeth Whittington, and Lucy who married Tracy Morgan.
2. BASCON, who married Gertrude Futrell.
3. ELLA, who married George Cooper.
4. GEORGE, who married Eliza Nevills.
5. LONNIE, who married Adelaide Greenlaw.
6. SUSIE, who married William Rackley.

Louisiana (Lula) Wilson (Henry James, Elihu, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born July 13, 1855. On February 19, 1873, she married Joseph Graham and had following children:

1. RUFUS E., who married Rossie Waters.
2. FANNIE, who married Ephraim Kesler.
3. CORELIA, who married George Rowan.
4. WILLA, who married Norman Deapsy.
5. ABNER, who married Ruby Farr.
6. GLENN, who married Susan Bell Williams.
7. JESSIE, died in childhood.
8. TOM
9. WARREN, who married Bertha Lee.
10. EDRIC

Amanda Wilson (Henry James, Elihu, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born December 12, 1858. On November 22, 1877, she married Frank Creech, and had the following children:

1. WALTON, who married Isaac Ferguson.
2. HALLIE, who married George Murphy.
3. OSCAR, who married Elsie Norman.
4. JOSEPH

Dr. Walter Scott Wilson (Stephen Alfred, Elihu, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born February 24, 1858, in Effingham County, Georgia. On December 13, 1883, he married Caroline Price, daughter of William Pierce Price and Martha Martin, his wife, and had children as follows:

1. PAULINE MARTIN, born January 5, 1885, who married Henry Floyd Noyes, April 17, 1911.
2. MARY STERLING, born February 8, 1886, who married Albert Hopkins Marsh, April 12, 1910.
3. EMMET CHEATHAM, born February 15, 1887, who married _____.
4. KATHARINE WANSLEY, born August 8, 1888, who married Olaf Otto, June 8, 1908.
5. CAROLINE PRICE, born November 10, 1895, who married _____.

Thomas Luke Blitch was a Methodist preacher and a Confederate soldier and was captured and imprisoned at Camp Chase, Where he died during the war.

4. ELIZABETH BLITCH, born October 19, 1833. She married ~~Hubbard~~ Herbert Beasley and lived to an advanced age, in Brunswick, Ga.

5. NATHANAEL ALLEN BLITCH, born April 27, 1836, and died young.

6. CAROLINE MATILDA BLITCH, born May 11, 1838, and died in infancy.

Lydia Blitch died July 6, 1838, and Thomas Blitch, Sr. married a second wife, Annie Marlow, in Effingham County, June 9, 1841, and to than were born six other children, as follows:

7. ELEANOR JANE BLITCH

8. GEORGIA ANN BLITCH

151 9. WILLIS STEPHEN BLITCH. "He was born near Turkey Branch Church in Effingham County, November 6, 1845, and died November 16, 1883. He married Florence Emma Lanier, June 20, 1878. She was born May 26, 1858 and died May 28, 1912." (Their daughter, Mrs. May Blitch Walker, Bradenton, Florida. Letters - November 16, 1937 and February 28, 1939).

151 10. WILLIAM MILTON BLITCH, born March 18, 1847. He was a merchant at Captola, Georgia, near Halcyondale. He married and they had ten children, three dying while young. Among those surviving are:-

Mrs. Dr. H. E. Ezell and Mrs. C. L. Huggins of Oliver, Georgia, and William Milton Blitch, Jr., of Decatur, Georgia.

11. SUSANNAH TABITHA BLITCH, born March 12, 1849, and died young.

12. EMMA AZALIA BLITCH, who died "about August 1870" (H.B.S.)

A Bible Record of Thomas Blitch's family

A leaf from the Bible of Thomas Blitch, the second, preserved and used by his son, Rev. Henry James Blitch, and now in the possession of his daughter, Mrs. Ella Blitch Moore, 111 West Gordon Street, Savannah, Georgia, shows:-

(Some names have faced out. W.M.B.)

"Henry James Blitch born Nov. 28, 1827.

Ann Patience Blitch born Sept. 2, 1829.

Thomas Luke Blitch born July 31, 1831.

Elizabeth Blitch born Oct. 19, 1833.

Nathanael Allen Blitch born April 27, 1836.

Caroline Matilda Blitch born May 11, 1838.

William Milton Blitch born March 18, 1847.

Susannah Tabitha Blitch born March 12, 1849."

Copied by W.M.B.

Thomas Blitch, Sr. made his will December 30, 1853 and appointed his sons, Henry James Blitch and Thomas Luke Blitch, as executors. It provided for "my beloved wife Ann Blitch" and her children, all of whom were then minors.

He had two sons and one great grandson to enter the christian ministry.

Thomas Blitch, the second, "called Senior", was born in Effingham County during the Revolutionary war, and "lived on the old home place all of his life." He was the sixth child of Thomas Blitch, Sr. "R.S." and Ann Hodges.

"Thomas Blitch, Sr. served in the Florida Indian War of 1819 and was wounded in the left hand." He married Lydia Wilson, in Effingham County, February 7, 1827. She was a daughter of Luke Wilson, and granddaughter of Captain James Wilson of Revolutionary War fame, and was born in Effingham County, May 1, 1809, and died there July 6, 1838.

After Lydia's death, he married Annie Marlow, also of Effingham County, June 9, 1841.

Concerning his descendants, we note the following facts:

1. HENRY JAMES BLITCH, was born November 28, 1827, and became a Primitive Baptist preacher and farmer. He served in the Confederate Army, the last two years as Chaplain in General Robert E. Lee's army. (See his history.)

3. THOMAS LUKE BLITCH, was a Methodist preacher, and served in the Confederate Army. He was captured and held as a prisoner of war at Camp Chase and died there during the war. Thomas Luke Blitch married Georgia Ann Wilson. Among their children were: (1) Virgil A. Blitch and (2) William Blitch.

4. ELIZABETH BLITCH. She married ~~Hubbard~~ Herbert Beasley and lived in Brunswick, Georgia. She reached an advanced age.

9. WILLIS STEPHEN BLITCH, who was born "in Effingham County near Turkey Branch Church, November 6, 1845, and died November 16, 1883. He married Florence Emma Lanier, June 20, 1878. She was born May 26, 1858, and died May 28, 1912." (His daughter, Mrs. May Blitch Walker, Bradenton, Florida. Letters - 11-16-1937 and 2-28-1939.)

10. WILLIAM MILTON BLITCH, was born March 18, 1847. He was a merchant at Captola, near Haloyondale, Georgia. He married, and they had ten children, three of them dying young. Among those surviving are:

Mrs. Dr. H. E. Ezell and Mrs. C. L. Huggins of Oliver, Ga., and W. M. Blitch, Jr. of Decatur, Ga.

Thomas Blitch, Sr. made his will December 30, 1853 and appointed his sons, Henry James Blitch and Thomas Luke Blitch, as executors. It provided for "my beloved wife Ann Blitch" and her children, all of whom were then minors.

Thomas Blitch, Sr. had two sons and one great grandson to enter the christian ministry.

HENRY JAMES BLITCH, son of Lydia (Wilson) Blitch (Luke, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), born in Effingham County, November 28, 1827, died in Bryan County, January 10, 1911. He was a farmer and a Primitive Baptist preacher, and married Lavinia English, in Bryan County, September 9, 1849. She was a daughter of Reuben and Eliza English, pioneer settlers of Bryan County. She was born May 11, 1835, and died December 1, 1913. They settled near the present site of Ellabelle, Georgia, and lived there the remainder of their lives. They raised fifteen children, without a death in their family for more than fifty years.

They were both buried in the Black Creek Church Cemetery in Bryan County.

H. J. Blitch received a "Headright" land grant in Effingham County in 1856.

A Bible Record of H. J. Blitch's family

"Henry James Blitch, born Nov. 28, 1827, Died Jany. 10, 1911.
Lavinia English Blitch, born May 11, 1835. Died Dec. 1, 1913.

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page 161 Their children:-

		Births:	Deaths:
(1)	Martha Penelope Blitch	Jany. 24, 1851.	July 19, 1925.
(2)	George Nathanael Blitch	Apl. 5, 1852.	Jany. 13, 1939.
(3)	John Myers Blitch	Apl. 29, 1854.	Nov. 6, 1933.
(4)	Thomas William Blitch	May 16, 1856	Sept. 19, 1913.
(5)	Gideon Seth Blitch	Mar. 22, 1858	Sept. __, 1912.
(6)	James Reuben Blitch	Mar. 31, 1860	Still living.
(7)	Ida Ann Blitch	Nov. 18, 1862	Nov. 24, 1921.
(8)	Norman Horace Blitch	Jany. 15, 1865	June __, 1932.
(9)	Susan Lavinia Blitch	Aug. 3, 1866.	Nov. 9, 1927.
(10)	Joseph Jackson Blitch	March 25, 1868.	Still living.
(11)	Janie E. Blitch	Sept. 22, 1869.	Still living.
(12)	Henry Wilson Blitch	March 22, 1871.	Feby. 9, 1902.

(13)	Willie Melvin Blitch	Feb'y. 25, 1872.	Sept. 9, 1904.
(14)	Mary Ella Blitch	July 3, 1875.	Still living.
(15)	Naomi Lavinia Blitch	May 27, 1877.	Still living.

Opposite each name was written "In the year of the Lord."

"The above is a true copy of the record of births made from a Bible Record. This record was made by John M. Blitch, now deceased; and is in the possession of Mrs. M. Ella Moore of 111 West Gordon Street, Savannah, Georgia."

"Copied by Mrs. Jesse Blitch Rogers, Nov. 23, 1938."

Henry James Blitch served in the Confederate Army, two years as Chaplain in the army of General Robt. E. Lee.

The Families of Henry James Blitch, son of Lydia (Wilson) Blitch (Luke, Captain James Wilson, R. S.) - 1827-1911.

He married Lavinia English in Bryan County, September 9, 1849, and to them were born fifteen children, as follows:-

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1. MARTHA P. BLITCH, married Elisha M. Blitch, son of Moore Blitch, and to them were born eleven children, amoung them being Rev. W. M. Blitch, the author of this history. (See their history).

2. GEORGE N. BLITCH. In early life he settled in South Carolina, and spent much of his time in Charleston, S. C. Later he removed to Savannah, Ga. First he married Susan Shuman of Ellabelle, Ga. They had three children, as follows:- Hanford Blitch, Winfield Blitch and Laura Blitch Glover.

   His second wife was Minnie Heuer of Charleston, S. C. They had no children. He died Jany. 13, 1939.

3. JOHN M. BLITCH. Farmer and banker. Lived at Lanier, Ga. He married Mattie Jordan, daughter of Rev. William Jordan of Tattnall County. They had two sons and two daughters,

namely:- (1) Giles A. Blitch, of Lanier, (2) William Henry Blitch, of Meggetts, S. C. (He died in 1938), (3) Maggie Blitch Cooley, of Hapeville, Ga., and (4) Dessie Blitch Sims, of Lanier, Ga.

4. THOMAS W. BLITCH. Married twice: first time to Minnie Commins of Charleston, S. C. Four children were born to them as follows:- Thomas Blitch, Jr., Jessie Blitch Rogers of Savannah, Ga., Leo Blitch and Omie Blitch Bellinger.

   Second wife, Daisy D. Best, whom he married in Effingham County, Ga., June 10, 1896. They had seven other children, as follows: Ernestine Blitch, born August 1, 1896; Roland Blitch, born Aug. 27, 1900; Eugene Blitch, born June 6, 1902; Helen Blitch, born Oct. 29, 1903; Charles Blitch, born Aug. 29, 1905; Kathleen Blitch, born Aug. 21, 1907; Sarah Blitch, born Aug. 21, 1910.

5. GIDEON SETH BLITCH, Afflicted. Never married.

6. JAMES REUBEN BLITCH, M. D., Ellabelle, Ga. Married Jenny _____. They had three children: one son, Theo Blitch, and two daughters, Cecilia Blitch and Dorothy Blitch. Both married.

7. IDA ANN BLITCH. She married Dr. Jesse Cone Brewer of Liberty County, and they settled in Blackshear, Ga. He was born Feb'y. 17, 1859 and died June 29, 1930. They were married in Bryan County, May 31, 1883. Raised four sons and one daughter, as follows:- Lawton, Jesse, Remer and Ralph Brewer, and Janie Brewer, who married Col. S. Foster Memory of Blackshear, Ga. They have several children.

8. NOIMAN HORACE BLITCH. He went to Youngs Island, S. C. early and engaged in truck farming and shipping. He owned much land at Meggetts, S. C., and was popularly known as "Cabbage Plant King". Later he removed to Charleston, S. C., where he owned large banking and manufacturing

interests.

He was twice married, first to Emily A. Commins of Meggetts, S. C. They had three children, two sons, Melvin Saint John Blitch and Norman H. Blitch, Jr., and one daughter, Lillian Blitch Brown.

His second wife was Barry O'Driscoll of Charleston, S. C. Two boys were born to them, Daniel Blitch and James Blitch.

9. SUSAN LAVINIA BLITCH. Married Dr. Leslie B. Freeman of Liberty County and settled in Ellabelle, Ga. Four children were born to them: three daughters and one son, namely: Tommie Freeman Witherington of College Park, Ga., Belva Freeman, who married Joseph Henry Smith of Ellabelle, Ga., June 26, 1907 (Deceased), Josie Freeman Yates of Americus, Ga., and Leslie B. Freeman, Jr. of Chicago, Illinois.

10. JOSEPH JACKSON BLITCH. Married Ella Brownlee of Maggetts, S. C. Several children.

11. JANIE E. BLITCH. Married Edwin L. Commins of Youngs Island, S. C. Several children: Boys, John, Edwin, Harry and Willie. Daughters, Sister Raphael (Trixie), Evylin Commins Doss and Emmie Commins Tabias.

12. HENRY WILSON BLITCH. Telegrapher. Married Carrie Bunch of Charleston, S. C. Died young. One son, Victor Blitch.

13. WILLIE MELVIN BLITCH. Telegrapher. Never married. Died young.

14. MARY ELLA BLITCH. Married James N. Moore of Lynchburg, Va., Sept. 16, 1908. Two sons: James N. Moore, Jr. and Jesse W. Moore. She resides at 111 West Gordon Street, Savannah, Ga., and is custodian of Thomas Blitch, the second, and Henry James Blitch's Bible Records of their families.

15. NAOMI LAVINIA BLITCH. Married Walter S. Gay of Lanier, Ga., and now resides at Beaufort, S. C. They have three sons, Daniel N., Norman L. and John N. Gay, and three daughters,

Elma Gay Rogers, Janie Lou Gay Getz and Hattie Gay Rawles.

(Much of this information was furnished by Mrs. Ella Blitch Moore and Mrs. Jessie Blitch Rogers. Letter dated Savannah, Ga., Dec. 8, 1938.)

HARRIET WILSON (Luke, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Effingham County, Georgia, on January 25, 1814, and died in Appling County, Georgia, November 11, 1877, "having been a member of the church fifty years." She was buried in Youmans Cemetery near the Altamaha River.

On January 12, 1832 she married Rev. Benjamin Blitch, Jr., born in Effingham County, November 17, 1811, and died in Wayne County, Georgia, April 22, 1887. He was buried at Bethel Church near Odum, Georgia. "He served in the Seminole Indian War in Florida and drew lands in the Cherokee Possessions in Georgia as a pension for services rendered." He was a Missionary Baptist preacher for 41 years and raised five Missionary Baptist preacher sons.

Benjamin Blitch, Jr. was the son of Benjamin Blitch, Sr., son of Thomas Blitch, R. S.

Benjamin Blitch, Sr. was the sole Executor of the Estate of Captain James Wilson, R. S. He was born in Effingham County, Georgia, about 1768 and died there in 1846.

Benjamin Blitch, Jr. and Harriet Wilson lived neighbors and early joined the Cowpen Branch Baptist Church, in Effingham County, Georgia. When a young man he was ordained a Deacon in the Church and elected Superintendent of the Sunday School.

He walked eleven miles, sometimes wading swollen streams to meet his engagements. Later he became a preacher in the same church, and preached acceptably to his neighbors; and then removed to Southeast Georgia where he served as a real missionary to the people of Appling and Wayne Counties for a full generation.

He was also interested in educational work, and was a charter member of the Blackshear Academy at Blackshear, Georgia, chartered December 7, 1860.

Benjamin Blitch, Jr. and Harriet Wilson Blitch had "fourteen children, eight sons and six daughters", as follows:-

1. JAMES ELIAS BLITCH, born July 21, 1833 in Effingham County,

"and died in Florida." He constituted the church at Alafia, Florida, and was the first person buried in the church yard. He was a Missionary Baptist preacher, and served in the Confederate Army. He died October 24, 1876. James Elias Blitch married Nancy Brewton in 1859. She was born August 12, 1840 and died October 8, 1901. They had six children, among them being Mary Maguilla Blitch, a poet, school teacher and author. She published a book of poems entitled "Perfect Silence and Other Poems." She resides at Molina Heights, near Pensacola, Florida. Mrs. Susie Blitch Marble of Pensacola, Fla. Graduate of State Normal School at Athens, Ga. School teacher, prominent writer and "Federal Project" W.P.A. Historian. And Rev. Benjamin Brewton Blitch. Born November 23, 1874. Ordained to the Gospel ministry in the Missionary Baptist Church at Pensacola, Fla. in 1906. His last pastorate was in Miami, Florida.

2. ESTHER ANN BLITCH, born November 5, 1834 and died in 1921. She never married.

3. DANIEL ISAIAH BLITCH. "Born in Effingham County, April 24, 1836," and died August 11, 1889. He was a Missionary Baptist preacher, and served in the Confederate Army. Daniel Isaiah Blitch married Lucy O'Quinn, daughter of Hanford Duncan O'Quinn, and granddaughter of Silas O'Quinn, a pioneer settler of Appling County in 1863. They had five children, among them being William Duncan Blitch, born October 6, 1864, and married Elizabeth Rice, daughter of Aaron and Hannah Lightsey Rice of Valdosta, Ga., March 1, 1885. She was born August 31, 1869. Their son Lacey Joseph Blitch was born April 10, 1890. Lacey J. Blitch served in the World War. He married Vera E. Hubbert of Stromberg, Nebraska, October 25, 1919. She was born March 23, 1892 and died

September 29, 1920. Their son Vance Hubbert Blitch was born September 19, 1920, and lives with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark of the American Business College, Pueblo, Colorado.

Vance Hubbert Blitch was elected captain of the Sons of the American Legion in 1937 and advanced to the rank of major in 1938. In June 1938 he graduated from the Centennial High School with his commission as Lieutenant Colonel. He is a member of the "Children of the American Revolution" on the record of Captain James Wilson of Effingham County, Georgia, and was granted "Supplemental Relations" on the record of Thomas Blitch of Effingham County, Georgia, October 11, 1938. His Number is 39310. Local membership in Trading Post, Pueblo, Colorado. He is its treasurer for 1939.

4. JOSEPH LUKE BLITCH. Born March 3, 1838 and died July 25, 1887 in California. He was a prominent Baptist preacher, author and theologian, and traveled throughout the West. He constituted the First Baptist Church at Walla Walla, Washington. He married Mattie V. Beasley of Virginia. They had six children, amoung them being John Benj. Blitch of Cisco, Texas.

5. ELIZABETH BLITCH. Born Jany. 25, 1840 and married Alexander Middleton of Wayne County. They had four children. "Edna Middleton, granddaughter of Rev. Benjamin Blitch, Jr. married C. H. Goode in Macon, Ga., July 21, 1917."

6. MARY RUTH BLITCH was born July 20, 1841 and died when three years old. "She was buried in Florida."

7. BENJAMIN SAMUEL BLITCH. Born February 17, 1843. Confederate soldier. Imprisoned at Point Lookout, Md. Died on his way home, "after surrender" at Greensboro, N. C., May 29, 1865. He was 22 years old.

8. OBEDIAH THOMAS BLITCH. Born _____ 15, 1844. Confederate soldier. He first married Valeria Odum, and they had four children. His second marriage was to Hattie Dukes. She was born September 1, 1857 and died February 14, 1898. They had five other children.

9. MINDORA LUCILE BLITCH. Born February 7, 1846. She married John Streeter of Blackshear, Georgia. They had two children.

10. SOLOMON ELIHU BLITCH. "Born in Effingham County, August 9, 1847." Confederate soldier and Missionary Baptist preacher. He died at Pearson, Georgia, January 15, 1926. Married Nancy A. Carter of Brooks County, April 6, 1869. She died January 24, 1927. They were buried in the Pearson, Ga. Cemetery. They had five children. Among them being J. B. C. Blitch, a railroad and hotel man at Tifton and Brunswick, Georgia. Now residing near Jacksonville, Florida. And Mrs. Leon A. Hargreves of Pearson, Georgia.

11. MIRIAM ABIGAIL BLITCH. Born February 17, 1849, and died in June 1929. She married Levi Youmans. They had ten children.

12. LEONIDAS WILKY BLITCH. Born December 30, 1850. Married Mary Hood. They had seven children.

13. EMMA EZALIA BLITCH. Born April 11, 1852. Married Robert Wolfe. They had five children.

14. WILLIAM WILBERFORCE BLITCH. Born July 22, 1854, and died August 11, 1930. He was a Missionary Baptist preacher and lived in Brunswick, Georgia. Married Mrs. Kendrick. His daughter "Mrs. Eva Blitch Daville" resides in Tampa, Florida.

The preaching record of this family approximates 200 years. Five of the sons and one grandson were preachers, and they covered much of the territory of the United States in their work, and all in the Missionary Baptist Church.

MARTHA PENELOPE BLITCH, daughter of Henry James Blitch (Lydia (Wilson) Blitch, Luke Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Bryan County, Georgia, January 24, 1851 and died in Grady County, Georgia, July 19, 1925. On May 10, 1865, in Bryan County, Georgia, she married Elisha Mentor Blitch, son of Moore Blitch (Benjamin, Thomas, R. S.), born in Effingham County, Georgia, November 20, 1843, died in Grady County, Georgia, December 28, 1929. He and his wife were buried in the Cairo City Cemetery, at Cairo, Georgia.

Elisha Mentor Blitch served as a soldier in the Confederate States Army four years, the last one under General Joe Wheeler. He was a farmer and settled in Bryan County, Georgia, but after a few years removed to Savannah, Georgia, where he spent some years, and then removed to Grady County, Georgia, where they spent the last thirty years of their lives.

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Their children were:

163 1. WILLIAM MOORE BLITCH, born July 1, 1866. Early he learned Telegraphy and engaged in railway work, mostly at Albany and Brunswick, Georgia. Later he entered the gospel ministry of the Methodist Church and joined the South Georgia Conference, in which he rendered 39 years as a pastor and acted as statistician and treasurer for much of the time. In December 1930 he was elected Conference Treasurer for its Benevolences and has served in that capacity ever since. (See his history).

2. MARY ANN TOLULA BLITCH was born December 1, 1868 and died October 6, 1895. She married Rutherford H. Slappey, of Albany, Georgia, and died childless.

3. SARAH TOSSA BLITCH, born August 13, 1870. She married D. H. Hunter of Doreven County in Savannah, Georgia, February 19, 1890. They removed to Grady County about 1896, and he died there August 27, 1935. He was buried in the

Cairo City Cemetery. He was a farmer and lived near Cairo. They had four children; Harry Melvin Hunter being their only son. Their daughters were Bessie Hunter Asbell (deceased), Carrie Mae Hunter Pearce, and Lottie Hunter Collins, all of Grady County.

4. ELISHA BENJAMIN BLITCH, born December 9, 1871, and died in Savannah, Georgia, January 27, 1888. Buried in Laural Grove Cemetery.

5. EMMA GEORGIA BLITCH, born October 28, 1873. Married John D. Bennett in Grady County, November 22, 1899. He died in 1925. They had several children. Her residence is Miami, Florida.

6. VIOLA LAVINIA BLITCH, born April 26, 1876. She married H. Mobley in Grady County, September 2, 1915. He died November 10, 1930. They had no children.

7. MARTHA ELIZABETH BLITCH, born in Bryan County, August 1, 1880, and died in Savannah, Georgia, September 27, 1884. Buried in Laural Grove Cemetery.

8. BESSIE BELLE BLITCH, born in Savannah, March 3, 1883, and died there April 26, 1888. Buried in Laural Grove Cemetery.

9. LOTTIE LEA BLITCH, born in Savannah, January 4, 1886, and died there April 14, 1888. Buried in Laural Grove Cemetery

10. JOHN MENTOR BLITCH, born in Bryan County, May 1, 1889. Married Burma Robison in Grady County, November ____, 1912. Several children.

11. ALBERT SIDNEY BLITCH, born in Albany, Georgia, April 28, 1892. He married Edith Robison in Grady County, March 16, 1913. Several children.

Both John Blitch and Sidney Blitch reside in Miami, Florida.

REV. WILLIAM MOORE BLITCH, son of Martha Penelope Blitch (Henry James Blitch, Lydia (Wilson) Blitch, Luke Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.), was born in Bryan County, Georgia, July 1, 1866. He attended school in Bryan County, then in Savannah, Georgia, and early learned telegraphy. He spent six years in railroad business at Albany and Brunswick, Georgia. He joined Wesley Monumental Methodist Church and was received into its membership December 5, 1885. On October 9, 1892, he was licensed to preach at Albany, Georgia, and entered the South Georgia Conference at Columbus, Georgia, in December following. For thirty-nine years he did regular pastoral work, as well as much clerical for the Conference, and was elected Treasurer of the Benevolence Funds in December 1930. On March 1, 1931 he suffered a partial "stroke" and found it necessary to retire at the end of that year, but continues to serve as treasurer, and resides at Cairo, Georgia.

On February 13, 1895 he and Mrs. Sudie Groover Grovenstein were married in Brooks County. She was a daughter of Thomas A. Groover of Grooverville, Georgia, and was born there June 8, 1862. She died at Cairo, November 9, 1935 and was buried in the Cairo City Cemetery. She was a great help to her husband and they served charges all over the Conference, including Epworth Savannah, Centenary Macon, Eastman, Vidalia, Fitzgerald, Millen, Blakely and Cairo, Georgia. (By a former marriage she had one son, William Raymond Grovenstein).

Their children were:-

1. MARY ALICE BLITCH, born at Attapulgus, Georgia, January 2, 1896. She graduated from the Georgia State Normal College, Athens, and studied one year at Peabody Normal, Nashville, Tennessee. She taught at Sparks and McRae Junior Colleges, and was married to James Thomas Windsor at Blakely, Georgia, July 31, 1923. They reside at McRae, Georgia, and have one son, James Thomas Windsor, Jr., born July 30, 1924. (Double wedding).

2. FANNIE LOIS BLITCH, born at Morven, Georgia, August 12, 1897, Graduate of Wesleyan College with B. O. degree. Studied one year at Columbia University, New York, and taught Expression at Sparks College and the Fort Valley high school. She married James Lovett Graham of Fort Gaines, at Blakely, Georgia, July 31, 1923, and has resided at Atlanta and Tallahassee. (Double wedding). They have two sons, James Lovett Graham, Jr., born at Albany, Georgia, June 14, 1926, and William Blitch Graham born in Nashville, Tennessee, January 22, 1929.

3. PIERCE GROOVER BLITCH, born at Fitzgerald, Georgia, October 8, 1899. Served in the "S.A.T.C." at Plattsburg, N. Y. He is a B. Ph. graduate of Emory University, and a member of the A.T.O. Fraternity, and is a banker at Savannah, Macon, and now Valdosta, Georgia. He married Ernestine Holton of Savannah, Georgia, August 11, 1925. They have two children, (1) Pierce Groover Blitch, Jr., born at Savannah, January 18, 1927, and (2) Shirley Holton Blitch, born in Macon, Georgia, September 17, 1930.

4. LEE WESLEY BLITCH, born at Cairo, Georgia, January 31, 1902. Graduate of Emory University, and Ph D. of Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, Maryland. He is a member of the Greek Letter Society, A.T.O. and a Phi Beta Kappa. He is connected with Emory University and has taught at Atlanta and Valdosta, Georgia. He married Emma Robson of Baltimore, Maryland, in Atlanta, Georgia, June 28, 1931. They have one child, Jerrie Elisabeth Blitch, born at Valdosta, Georgia, June 16, 1939.

After the death of Sudie Blitch, W. M. Blitch married her sister, Emma Alice Groover, June 24, 1936, and they live in Cairo, Georgia.

The following are personal notes concerning Captain James Wilson, R. N., and his 2nd. wife, Ann Gordon. They were gathered from many little interviews with Mr. Benjamin Davis, who married the eldest grand-daughter of Captain Wilson and Ann Gordon. Mr. Davis was over 80 years of age (1904-5) and recalled in an interesting way many things he had heard his wife, Caroline (Wilson) Zipperer, tell of her recollections of her grandparents. Mr. Davis was 16 years younger than his wife, who at the time of his marriage was the widow of Mr. Jefferson Zipperer.

"Captain Wilson was a planter and stock raiser and owned a great many slaves. His favorite saddle horse was a milk white stallion named "Gen. George Washington" and he allowed nothing but white fowls around his house. If any colored chickens strayed up from the quarters, they were immediately shot. He called his white fowls his "angels". When he sold his cattle and horses in Savannah markets, he laid in a supply of stores, provisions and household things, never omitting a ten gallon cask of Monongahela whiskey, which was always to be found on his side board. At times he drank to excess and on these occasions he would make his slaves dance for days, for his amusement, until they were completely exhausted. He kept great quantities of gold money about him always, and it was no uncommon sight for his grandchildren to play with it, filling up quart measures and pouring it out, he looking on and enjoying it greatly. When under the influence of drink, he would sometimes vent himself by breaking crockery, etc., and was allowed to do so without protest, until finally upon such an occasion his wife gave him a Roland for his Oliver; when he dashed down a cup and saucer, she did likewise, without any comment when one plate fell another kept its company, dish following dish with perfect precision, noted only by a look of surprise from the "Gentleman". At last he said, "Ann Gordon you are breaking all my china", to which she serenely echoed: "James Wilson you are breaking all my china." The lesson

cured him, and he never entertained himself again in like manner.

As the years passed, he became more serious and developed a strong religious feeling. He would take a chair to an orchard about a mile away, and, sitting under a tree would read and meditate upon his Bible for hours. He requested to be buried there, and marked the place with two stakes. He died Tuesday evening, March 1, 1825, and he and his wife beside him, lie buried there. Mrs. Davis remembered well seeing his continental uniform in which he took great pride in keeping buttons and acontrements well polished. Two of his swords were destroyed by Sherman's army, but a camp knife and a porcelain pipe are in the possession of two of his descendants."

Ann Gordon Wilson was scotch, a small brunette. She possessed, for that time, an unusual knowledge of medicine, and was consulted for miles around. She gave freely of her services, riding horse back long distances, even at night, to minister to the sick.

The first Superior Court held in Effingham County was held at the house of Captain Wilson.

Colonial Applications for Land Grants in Georgia

William Wilson, 1746, - A petition setting forth his great desire of becoming a land holder in this Colony, desiring this Board to grant him a tract of Five Hundred Acres of Land on the South side of the Orggchee River, adjoining the Lands lately granted to John Rogerson. We taking the same consideration, and being well informed of his being a very industrious man, and having a large family of full grown children, do humbly recomend him to the Honourable Trustees for a Grant of Three Hundred Acres at the Place aforesaid; in the mean while allowing him to begin his improvements.

John Wilson a younger son of William Wilson, Sr. petitioned for a tract of three hundred and fifty acres (350A) on the Little Ogeechee River, next joining to his father, setting forth that he had a young and growing family of several children and likewise had considerable stock of cattle, etc. to settle and improve same. The petition was approved, Dec. 22, 1747.

Benjamin Wilson (Sept. 2, 1748) petitioned for 300 A. joining John Wilson on the South side of Little Ogeechee River.

Francis Wilson, was given land grant in St. Mathew's Parish, now Effingham County, March 1769.

John Wilson married Mary, the widow of Christian Reidelsperger, who had no children by her first husband. This was in the year 1767.

John Wilson, Jan. 1759, made application for land grant setting forth that he was a settler in the Province and had had no Lands granted him, and was desirous to obtain a Grant of Land for cultivation, having a wife and five children. Therefore praying for 200 acres being on an Island on Thunderbolt River bounded by Barnard's Creek.

The above data is taken from the Georgia Colonial Records, Candler.

Land Grants in Effingham County:

James Wilson, 1769;	James Wilson, 1804;	Jesse, 1805;
Luke Wilson, 1805;	John Wilson, 1810;	William, Jr., 1811.

James Wilson married first _____, and had children:

1. JAMES, born 1764, married Elizabeth Morgan.
2. JOHN, born 1762,
3. JESSE, born 1766, married Elizabeth Cook.

After the death of his first wife, James Wilson married Mrs. Ann Pace Woodward, nee Ann Gordon, and probably the daughter of John Gordon who resided on plantation near Ogeechee River, south side.

Children by Ann Gordon:-

4. LUKE, born June 21st, 1785, married Patience Crawford, 3-6-1806.
5. GABRIEL, born Oct. 1787, married Sarah Oglesby, 12-26-1807.
6. JEREMIAH, married Elizabeth Lucas and moved to Brooks Co., Ga.
7. ELIHU, born March 22, 1796, married Catherine Tullis.
8. ALLEN WILSON, born October 9, 1798, married (1st) December 6th, 1821, to Mary Hurst, daughter of Thomas and Serena (Wylly) Hurst. She was born January 11, 1800, died October 15, 1826, leaving issue:

    1. JAMES THOMAS WILSON, born March 16, 1823.
    2. GABRIEL
    3. ELIZA

    and by 2nd. wife, Serena Hurst, sister of his first wife, children:

    4. HENRY ALFRED
    5. HARRIETT
    6. JOHN WYLLY
    7. SUSANNAH
    8. FRANCIS MARION

Allen Wilson married third:- Margaret Fulford and had:

9. PEYTON SMITH
10. ALLEN
11. JEREMIAH
12. CHARLES WILSON

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WILSON FAMILY RECORDS

Effingham County, Georgia

Elias Wilson Estate, Dec. 1, 1832; widow, Milley Ann; daughter Ellen Wilson.

Lavinia Wilson mentioned in the will of Seleta Graham, as her daughter, July 22, 1839.

James Wilson, will - April 6, 1825.

Wife: Elizabeth

Sons: John W. and Henry

Daus: Rebecca and Keziah

Exors: John W. Wilson (son)

John Goldwire

J. G. Mingeldorff.

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Henry M. Wilson, will - Dec. 29, 1841.

"Wife and Children". Exor: John G. Mingledorff.

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John Wilson, Jr., deed 1791 to Ephraim Tiner, son of Elijah Tiner, wit: James Wilson and Thomas Wylly.

James and John Wilson, Exors. of the estate of James W. Crews, 1824. James W. Crews, or Cruse, married Martha Wilson, 6-1-1803.

Jeremiah Wilson and Lewis Hines, witness will of William McGalhagan, 1823.

William Wilson, Georgetown, S. C. and Effingham County, Ga., 1786. Daughter, Elizabeth Ford.

Elihu Wilson, guardian of the orphans of Gabriel Wilson, 1819.

William Wilson, will, Chatham County, 1807 - Wife, Ann Abigail, nee Scrugg.

Marriages:

Rachel Wilson, m. Thomas Garnett, Jan. 1, 1772.
Winifred Wilson, m. John Burnett, Jan. 1773.
Mrs. Sarah Wilson, m. Richard Pelham, April 1, 1815.
Mrs. Hannah Wilson, widow of Henry, m. William O. Rahn, 12-8-1849.
Susannah Wilson, m. Christian Zipperer, 2-22-1801.
Jeremiah Wilson, m. Lavinia Kittles, Sept. 5, 1836.
John Wilson, "Foreigner", married Marie Rudelsperger, 11-19-1760.
Josiah Wilson, of Liberty County, m. Eliza Mary Hines, dau. of Howell Hines,
Martha Wilson, m. James Crews, June 1, 1803.
Henry Wilson, m. Hannah Mingledorff, 1832.
Luke Wilson, m. Patience Crawford, March 6, 1806.
Jesse Wilson, m. Eliza Cook, Aug. 10, 1799.
William Wilson, m. Olive Day, Oct. 12, 1804.
John Wilson, m. Susannah Rahn, Aug. 7, 1820.
David Wilson, m. Polly Templen, Sept. 30, 1806.
Gabriel Wilson, m. Sarah Oglesby, Dec. 26, 1807.
Elihu Wilson, m. Catherine Tullis, Nov. 6, 1815.
Thomas Wilson, m. Eliza Beckley, Dec. 27, 1831.
Allen Wilson, m. Amy Griner, March 30, 1839.
John B., m. Jane A. Edwards, June 6, 1841.
Lydia Wilson, m. Thomas Blitch, Feb. 22, 1829.
Luke C. Wilson, m. Ann Catherine Griner, Aug. 10, 1841.
Elias Wilson, m. Amelia Ann Hurst, March 10, 1827.

William H. Wilson, m. Maru Shearouse, Sept. 1, 1827.
Allen Wilson, m. Mary Hurst, Nov. 29, 1821.

The above records from Effingham County.

James Wilson, m. Aspellah Wheeler, Sept. 24, 1835 - Thomas Co., Ga.
Jane Wilson, m. Enoch Wells, Dec. 24, 1835 - Thomas Co., Ga.

The following is the family record of Tryon Pace as copied from the family bible of Tryon Pace, now (August 1939) in the possession of Mrs. Perry Wilson at Cylo, Effingham County, Georgia: --

"TRYON PACE, was born October 13, 1776
ANN PACE, was born July 3, 1799
JAMES PACE, was born January 27, 1802
NOAH PACE, was born April 25, 1803
UNITY PACE, was born February 5, 1805
MARY PACE, was born March 9, 1807
GEORGE PACE, was born February 5, 1809
REBECCA PACE, was born May 30, 1811
SARAH ANN PACE, was born July 16, 1814
WARREN PACE, was born May 30, 1817
JOHANNAH S. PACE, was born March 8, 18___*
WARREN A. PACE, was born October 19, 1834
JOHN I. PACE, was born February 20, 1836
SOLETIA A. PACE, was born August 5, 1838
WILLIAM T. PACE, was born November 1, 1840
JAMES R. PACE, was born February 8, 1845
MARY T. PACE, was born March 25, 1847
UNITY M. PACE, was born June 25, 1849
LAVINIA I. PACE, was born September 1, 1851
GEORGE L. PACE, was born March 20, 1853
NORMAN A. PACE, was born June 21, 1855"

*(The figures of the year were too faint to be read but the U. S. Census of 1850 shows she was 35 years of age in 1850)

Deed Book A - B, page 14
Date, Nov. 20, 1786
Filed, 14 Dec. 1786
10 Shillings

Jesse Wilson, planter of Effingham County, Georgia

To

William Thornhill, planter, of Effingham County, Georgia.
"100 acres in Effingham County, Ga. butting and bounding, East, Jacob Gnann,

North, John Houghter
West, William Wilson
South, Vacant

for one year".
Signed: Jesse Wilson (L.S.)

Witnesses:
Thos. Lane
Bryant Lane

Deed Book C - D, page 125
Date, 3 Dec. 1799
Filed, 11 Jan. 1800
"love and affection"

Jesse Wilson, Doctor, of Effingham County, Georgia

To

William Wilson, his son, Carpenter, of Effingham Co., Ga.
"one half of 50 acres of a tract of pine land containing in the whole 100 acres which part adjoins land of Jno. G. Neidlinger on Jacks branch and the road to Savannah.
Signed: Jesse Wilson (L.S.)

Witnesses:
Henry N. Williams, C.S.C.E.C.
Peter Hawthorn

Deed Book C-D, page 165
Date, 13 January 1794

25 pounds

Witnesses:
Daniel Burgsteiner
Gideon Lettler

Jesse Wilson, Planter, Effingham County, Georgia

To

John Martin Dasher, Planter, of Effingham County, Georgia
"100 acres granted to Jesse Wilson, April 4, 1785, etc."
Signed: Jesse Wilson (L.S.)

Deed Book M, page 258
Date, 2 Dec. 1830
Filed, 22 Jan. 1831
"natural love and affection"

Witnesses:
Wm. C. Tison, Sr.
Thos. R. Hines
Howell Hines J.P.C.

Elizabeth Wilson, of Effingham County, Georgia. (widow of Jesse Wilson)

To

William Wilson, her grandson of Effingham County, Georgia
"tract of 100 acres originally granted to Jesse Wilson, husband of said Elizabeth Wilson, grant dated 23 May 1798.
Signed: Elizabeth Wilson (L. S.)

Deed Book C-D, page 315
Dated, 20 Nov. 1794
Filed, 2 Dec. 1796
"Love and affection for brother"

James Wilson, Planter, of Effingham County, Georgia

To

Jesse Wilson, Doctor, his brother, of Effingham County, Georgia
"that part of that tract of land on lower side of Jacks branch only reserving two acres for the use of the mill stream x x x etc.
202 acres"

Signed: James his X mark Wilson

James Wilson

Witnesses:
Elijah his X mark Tyner
John Wilson
Miltry Harper

Deed Book G-H, page 254
Date, Feb. 3, 1813
Filed, 21 May 1815
$325.00

James Wilson, Senior

To

Ephraim Davis
"200 acres x x x lying on the Runs including the mouth of Jacks branch, which was originally granted to James Wilson, Senr., in 1788 on 28th day of May"

Signed: James his X mark Wilson (L. S.)

Ann her X mark Wilson (L. S.)

Witnesses:
Stephen Tullis
Elihu Wilson

Deed Book C-D, page 451
Date, 28 May 1801
Filed, 12 June 1801
"Good Will etc."

Thomas Polhill, Planter, of
Effingham County, Georgia
To
John Wilson, minor, of Effingham
County, Georgia
"for the good will he hath towards
the said John Wilson, an orfan"
"100 acres etc."
Signed: Thomas Polhill (Seal)

Witnesses:
T. Cuyler
Tho. Wylly (or Wyley)

Deed Book K, page 7
Date, 2 Jan. 1816
Filed,
$60.00

John Wilson, Shop keeper, of the
City of Savannah, Georgia
To
Daniel Mallet, Planter, of
Effingham County, Georgia
"100 acres x x x granted to
Thomas Polhill x x on Turkey
Creek"
Signed: John Wilson (L.S.)

Witnesses:
Abram Mallet
John Heck

Acknowledged 20 Nov. 1818 by Abram Mallet

Deed Book G-H, page 265
Dated, 17 Oct. 1815
Filed,

Samuel Wilson, Planter, of Effingham County, Georgia

To

John Dugger, of Effingham County, Georgia

Witnesses:
John J. Helvenston
Zachariah White

Signed: Samuel Wilson (L.S.)

Deed Book A-B, page 16
Date, 21 Nov. 1786
Filed, 23 Nov. 1786
16 pounds sterling

Jesse Wilson, of Effingham County, Georgia

To

William Thornhill, of Effingham County, Georgia, planter.
(same land as in Deed Book A-B, page 14)

Witnesses:
Thos. Lane
Bryant Lane

Signed: Jesse Wilson (L.S.)

Deed Book A-B, page 155
Date, 26 Aug. 1788
Filed, 25 Nov. 1788
Love & Affection

Witnesses:
James his X mark Wilson
John his X mark I. Wilson

James Wilson, Planter, of
Effingham County, Georgia
To
John Wilson, Planter, (my loving son)
of Effingham Co.
"100 acres whereon he now resides"
Signed: James his X mark Wilson (L.S.)
Acknowledged by James Wilson, Jr.,
one of the witnesses, before Jenkin
Davis, Justice, Nov. 8, 1788.

Deed Book C-D, page 427
Date, 20 July 1793
Filed, 29 May 1801
10 pounds

Witnesses:
Jesse Bell, J. P.
John McCall, J. P.

James Wilson, Junior, of Effingham
County, Georgia
To
Elijah Tiner
50 acres x x x being one half
of 100 acres granted to the said
James Wilson, the 28th May 1788.
Signed: James Wilson (Seal)

Deed Book E-F, page 486
Date, 21 Dec. 1810
Filed, 9 March 1811
$200.00

James Wilson and Elizabeth, his wife, of Effingham County, Georgia

To

Christopher Baillee of Effingham County, Georgia

"150 acres land on Wills Branch x x x which land is made up of 2 parts, one of 100 acres granted to James Wilson adjoining Treulton Gibson and said Wilson, the other being a half part of 100 acres tract granted to James Wilson, granted the 18th Sept. 1785."

Signed: James Wilson (L.S.)
Elizabeth Wilson (L.S.)

Witnesses:
William Morgan
W. R. Wilson
Jeremiah Wilson

Deed Book G & H, page 236
Date, 11 Oct. 1814

$150.00

Trion Pace of Effingham County, Georgia, and Mary, his wife

To

James Wilson of Effingham County, Georgia

"200 acres"

Signed: Tryon his X mark Pace
Mary her X mark Pace

Witnesses:
William Morgan
Jno. G. Walsingham, J. P.

Deed Book E & F, page 159
Dated, 2 April 1805
Filed, 2 April 1805
$1983.00

William Wilson, Sheriff of
Effingham County, Georgia
To
Thomas Polhill, planter, of
Effingham County, Georgia
"Eleven Negroes, x x sold under
and by virtue of two writs of
fi fa at the suit of the Admr's
of William Wylly, obtained in
the Superior Court of the County
of Chatham against the Admr John
Shuk and Quinton Pooler dec." etc

Deed Book E & F, page 213
Dated, 5 Aug. 1806

Luke Wilson, Sheriff of the County
of Effingham
To
Hannah Dasher
Signed: Luke Wilson S. E. C. (L.S.)

Witnesses:
J. G. Neidlinger C. S. C. E. C.
John Wilson

Deed Book E & F, page 457
Dated, Oct. 1, 1810
Filed, 20 Dec. 1810
$60.00

William R. Wilson,
To
Andrew Griner, both of
Eff. Co., Ga.
Signed: William R. Wilson (L.S.)

Witness:
David Gugel
J. G. Neidlinger

Deed Book L, page 285
Dated, Dec. 31, 1825
Filed, Jan. 6, 1826

Heirs of the Estate of James
Wilson, dec'd
To
Benjamin Blitch, Ex'or

"Received of Benjamin Blitch, Ex'or of the Estate of James Wilson, Snr, for Jeremiah Wilson, the sum of One dollar Sixty-two and a half cents in full of all demands against said Estate, Dec. 31, 1825.
Witness: Thomas Blitch (Signed) "Elihu Wilson"

Received of Benjamin Blitch, Ex'or of the Estate of James Wilson, Senr, my legacy in full of said Estate, Dec. 31, 1825.
Witness: Thomas Blitch (Signed) "Allen Wilson"

(Same receipt and witness) (signed) "L. Wilson"
(" " " ") (") "Elihu Wilson"
(" " " ") (") "Ann her X mark Wilson"

Acknowledged by Thomas Blitch, Jan. 2, 1826.

Deed Book G & H, page 294
Dated, 5 Aug. 1806

Luke Wilson
To
James Goldwire
(Signed) Luke Wilson S. E. C. (L.S.)

Witnesses:
John Wilson
Jesse Wilson

(Note S. E. C. meaning Sheriff Effingham Co.)

Deed Book K, page 7
Dated, 2 January 1816

John Wilson, Shopkeeper of the City of Savannah
To
Daniel Mallet, Planter, of Effingham Co., Ga.
100 acres x x x granted to Thomas Polhill x x on Turkey Creek
Signed: John Wilson (L.S.)

Witnesses:
Abram Mallet
John Heck

Acknowledged 20 Nov. 1818 by Abram Mallet.

Deed Book K, page 11
Dated, 11 Sept. 1818

Luke Wilson and Patience Wilson, his wife

To

Christopher Baillie, both of Effingham County

175 acres, adjoining land of William Morgan, Millens, & Tryon Pace, land which is part of a tract of 200 acres granted Luke Wilson.

(signed) Luke Wilson (L.S.)
(signed) Patience her X mark Wilson (L.S.)

Witnesses:
William J. Morgan
Thomas Vessels

Deed Book K, page 79
Dated, 22 April 1820
$25.00

Luke Wilson

To

John W. Exley, both of Effingham County

50 acres x x x granted to Luke Wilson, Nov. 15, 1819.

(signed) Lu Wilson (L.S.)

Witnesses:
Jeremiah Wilson
Danl Mallett
Abr Mallett

Deed Book N, page 15
Dated, June 1, 1833
love & affection
Witnesses:
Will W. Wilson
John R. Morgan, J. P.

James Wilson
To
Keziah Elly Wilson, his daughter.
(signed) James Wilson (L.S.)

Deed Book N, page 16
Dated, 1 June 1833
love & affection
Witnesses:
Will W. Wilson
John R. Morgan, J, P.

James Wilson
To
Rebecca Kettles, his daughter, wife of Peter Kettles

Deed Book N, page 36
Dated, 4 July 1833

Thomas A. Wilson and wife Eliza
To
Jacob Exley

Deed Book N, page 85
Dated 7 Jan 1834
$410.00

Elihu Wilson, admr
of Estate of Ann Wilson
To
John McRory
Negro man slave called Ben

Deed Book N, page 119
Dated 6 May 1834
$1126.00

John Wilson and John G. Mingledorff
Ex of James Wilson
To
Cletus Rahn

Deed Book K, page 281,
Dated 3 Sept 1821

Bond for $2000.00 for guardianship
Bond of Emanuel Rahn, guardian of
Obadiah Berry, orphan of John
Berry

(Signed) Emanuel Rahn L. S.
Lewis Bird L. S.
James Wilson L. S.

Deed Book K, page 410
Dated, 2 Oct. 1822
Filed, 23 Oct. 1822
$300.00
Witnesses:
William R. Wilson
Luke Wilson J. P.

Jeremiah Wilson
To
James Wilson Sr.
A certain negro boy named Mike
(Signed) Jeremiah Wilson (L.S.)

Deed Book K, page 410
Dated, 15 Oct. 1822
Filed, 23 Oct. 1822
Love & Affection

James Wilson
To
his daughter in law
Eliza Wilson, (both of Effingham Co.) "for the kind love, good will and affection which I have and do bear towards my daughter in law Eliza Wilson"
Negro boy named Mike
(singed) James his X mark Wilson (L. S.)

Witnesses:
Thomas Vessels
L. Wilson J. P.

Deed Book L, page 181
State of Georgia
Effingham County
Dated, 21 Feb 1825

This is to certify that I, James Wilson, Sr., having made a Will and since has gave my son Elihu Wilson, a rifle gun to the value of eighteen Dollars which is to be added to his part of the property that I intended giving him.

Witnesses:

William his X mark Sanders

Rebeccah Sanders

Acknowledged by William Sanders, 7 March 1825

Deed Book L, page 181
State of Georgia
County of Effingham
Dated, Feb. 21, 1825

This is to certify that I, James Wilson Sr., having made a Will and since has gave my son Allen Wilson cattle to the value of seventy-five dollars which is to be added to his part of the property that I intended giving him.

Feb. 21, 1825

(Signed) James his X mark Wilson

Witnesses:

William his X mark Sanders

Rebeccah Sanders

Acknowledged by William Sanders, March 7, 1825

Deed Book L, page 181

State of Georgia

County of Effingham

This is to certify that I James Wilson, Sr. having made a Will and since has gave my son Jeramiah Wilson one grey mare which I value at one hundred dollars which is to be added to his part of the property that I intended giving him.

Feb. 21, 1825

(signed) James his X mark Wilson

Witnesses:

William his X mark Sanders

Rebecca Sanders

Acknowledged by William Sanders 7 March 1825

Deed Book L, page 251

Date, 26 Oct. 1825

Filed, 12 Nov. 1825

love & aff.

Ann Wilson

To

Allen Wilson

"for the kind love and good will and affections which I bear to my beloved son Allen Wilson"

100 acres

Signed: Ann her X mark Wilson

Witnesses:

Jordan Williams

James his X mark Jenkins

Deed Book L, page 284
Date, 22 Oct. 1825
mortgage

Luke Wilson
To
Benjamin Blitch
tract containing 200 acres as granted to John Boston Senr and from him deeded to James Wilson and the same falling to Luke Wilson by heirship

Deed Book L, page 412
Dated, January 1827
$1000.00

Bond of
Elihu Wilson, W. W. Wilson and John M. Lucas,
Elihu Wilson, appointed guardian to Elbert, Grace and Hampton Wilson, orphans of Gabriel Wilson

Deed Book L, page 457
Date 3 Feb. 1826

James Wilson
To
Elijah Tyner
resigns right to title and claim to tract of land
Signed: James Wilson (L.S.)

Witnesses:
Tryon Pace
L. Wilson

Deed Book M, page 529
Date, 19 Oct. 1832
Filed, 1 Nov. 1832
love & affection

Witnesses:
Thomas A. Wilson
David A. Morgan
G. Dudley J. P.

James M. Wilson
To
Henry M. Wilson, his son
for love and affection
200 acres granted to Nicholas Cronengerger 5 Feb 1760 etc
Signed: James Wilson L. S.

Deed Book N, page 3
Date, 14 Dec. 1832
Filed, 28 Feb. 1833
$100.00

Witnesses:
Elihu Wilson
Josh Gnann J. P.

Allen Wilson, of Thomas County, Ga.
To
Benjamin Blitch of Effingham Co., Ga.
300 acres on Turkey Creek
(Signed) Allen Wilson

Deed Book N, page 14
Dated, 22 April 1833
love & affection
Witnesses:
M. Reiser
Henry M. Wilson
Josh Gnann J. P.

James Wilson
To
John Wilson, his son
signed: James Wilson

EFFINGHAM COUNTY RECORDS

Deed Book L, page 84)
Date, 11 Nov. 1823)
Filed, 22 Nov. 1823)
"love and affection)
for son")

William Wilson of Effingham Co., Ga.
To
Thomas A. Wilson, his son, of
Effingham Co., Ga.
200 acres x x x x one half of my
household furniture, etc.
Signed: William Wilson (L.S.)

Witnesses:
John Hines, Senr.
Stephen Wolf J. P.

Deed Book L, page 85
Date, Nov. 11, 1823
Filed,
"love and affection for
son"

William Wilson, of Effingham Co., Ga.
To
William W. Wilson, his son, of
Effingham Co., Ga.
200 acres x x x one half of my
household furniture, etc.
Signed: William Wilson (L.S.)

Witnesses:
John Hines, Sr.
Stephen Wolf J. P.

Deed Book N, page 85
Date, 7 Jan. 1834
$410.00

Elihu Wilson admr. Estate Ann Wilson
To
John McHory
Sells slave named Ben

Will of James Wilson Jr.
"To my beloved wife Elizabeth, a childs part" my sons John and Henry and also unto my dauther Rebecca, daughter Esiah, appoints son John and John Goldwire, T. G. Mingledorff, Executors
Dated, April 6, 1825
Witnesses:
Jno. B. Berry
Cletus Kahn
Solomon Exley

Misc Book 1, page 8
Date, 3 Oct, 1791
love and affection

Deed of Gift
John Wilson, Junr of
Effingham County, Shoemaker
To
Ephraim Tiner, son of Elijah tiner

"For and in consideration of the love, good will and affection which I have and do bear towards Ephraim Tiner"

Witnesses:
James his X mark Wilson, Senr
James his X mark Wilson, Jr.

Misc. Book 1, page 37
Date, 8 April 1786

William Wilson of Georgetown in the State of South Carolina

To

Elizabeth Ford and Stephen Ford, her husband, for and in consideration of the regard and esteem I have for my daughter in Law Elizabeth Ford and Stephen Ford, her husband, both of the same place, I have lent them during their lives 8 negroes X X gives slaves to children of the said Elizabeth Ford at her demise (signed) William Wilson (S)

Witness
Anthony Ford

Acknowledged by Anthony Ford 8 April 1786 in South Carolina, Georgetown District.

Estate of Gabriel Wilson
Mentions Sarah F. Wilson and
Sarah F. Wilson for children
(records show Gabriel Wilson married
Sarah Oglesby)

Misc. Book 2
marriage License

John Wilson

To

Susannah Rahn

Dated 7 Aug 1820, married Aug. 10, 1820
by John E. Bergman V. D. minister
Ebenezer, Effingham Co.

Misc Book 2
marriage license
Date, Nov. 29, 1821

Allen Wilson
To
Mary Hurst

Misc Book 2
Date, 7 March 1825

"The Will of James Wilson, Sr. was produced in Court by William B. Hurst, one of the witnesses, and admitted to record"

Misc Book 2, page 238

Inventory and appraisement
Estate of James Wilson, Sr.

x x x

Slaves:

Old Sam	$400.00
negro Ben	400.00
yellow Sam	400.00
Amy and child	450.00

etc

Appraisers:

Thomas Hurst
Walden his X mark Griffin
Spier his X mark Blitch

First choice: Ann Wilson took in the division negro Ben x x x etc. $888.75

2nd Choice: Allen Wilson Amy and child x x x etc $916.25

3d. Choice Benjamin Blitch for Gabriel Wilson heirs x x x etc. $767.50

4th Choice: Luke Wilson x x x etc $860.50

5th. and 6th. Choice Elihu Wilson for himself and Jeremiah Wilson Old Sam x x x etc $1905.00

Undivided reserved to pay expenses of Executor "Yellow Sam"

Misc Book 2, page 293

$400.00 and note of James W. Woodward $50.00
Property belonging to heirs of Gabriel Wilson
sold for $242.41½
negro man named Sam sold to H. Elkins
for $341.00

Misc Book 1, page 27
Date, 16 March 1793

Phillip Dill, Mary Hurst and Mary
Crawford
affidavit as to oral gifts of slaves
by Thomas Lane, Esq to his wife and
children
(signed) Phillip Dell
Mary her X mark Hurst
Mary her X mark Crawford

Misc Book 1, page 33
Date, 18 May 1793
12 Aug 1793

Appraisement of Estate of Thos Lane
(signed by)
John McCall
William Hurst
David Thorn

Misc Book 2, page 123
marriage license
Date, 2 June 1821

William Hurst
and
Mary Blitch

Misc. Book 1, page 19
Date, 1 June 1793

Estate of William Wilson, deceased
Acct of sales by John Neidlinger,
Ex. 15 July 1793
Cash received for Est by Ex from Jo Wilson
1 pound. for Jo Wilson Jr. 15 July 1793
cash paid out x x x
To tax paid for the year 1787 and 1788, 1789,
1790 and 1791 and 1792 to Jesse Wilson
acc. 4 pounds 18 Shillings 4 pence

Deed Book N, page 180

Elihu Wilson Admr Estate of
Ann Wilson
To
William W. Wilson
Lot 160 acres in the 28th. Dist.
3rd Section Cherokee County known
as No. 39 which was drawn by said
Ann Wilson in the late land lottery

Deed Book N, page 76

Howell Hines
To
Elizabeth M. Wilson
his daughter, wife of Josiah S. Wilson

love and affection

Deed Book L, Page 205
Date, 25 April 1825
Bond
$300.00

Elihu Wilson
to
Benjamin Blitch

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Deed Book L, Page 205
Date, 20 May 1825
Bond
$500.00

Elihu Wilson and Luke Wilson
to
Benjamin Blitch
"To account to Jeremiah Wilson for Legacy due him by his late father, James Wilson paid to Elihu Wilson."

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Deed Book L, Page 206
Date, 24 April 1825
Bond
$300.00

Luke Wilson
to
Benjamin Blitch

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Deed Book L, Page 207
Date, 25 April 1825
Bond
$300.00

Ann Wilson
to
Benjamin Blitch

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Deed Book L, Page 207
Date, 25 April 1825
Bond
$300.00

Allen Wilson
to
Benjamin Blitch

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Deed Book L, Page 72
Date, 23 Sept. 1822
love and affection

Howell Hines
to
Thomas A. Wilson, his nephew

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Deed Book L, Page 242

Date, 2 August 1809

Filed, 27 October 1825

love and affection

Witnesses:

Luke Wilson

N. T. Hull

Patrick McKenty

To

Allen Wilson, his beloved friend
200 acres of land

(signed) P. M. Kenty

(Note. In 1798 P. McKenty witnessed a deed as J. P. see Deed Book AB, Page 73.)

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Deed Book K, Page 10

Date, 19 March 1819

Filed, 7 October 1819

love and affection

Witnesses:

L. Wilson, J. P.

Thomas Hurst of Effingham County

to

William B. Hurst, his son, of Effingham County, Georgia

150 acres granted to Jesse Hurst

(Signed) Thomas Hurst

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Deed Book O, Page 342

Date, 7 December 1841

Filed, 8 March 1842

$600.00

Witnesses:

William Hodges

Josh Gnann, J. P.

John Hurst of Thomas County, Georgia, and Mary Hurst of Effingham County, Georgia, Admrs. to the Estate of William Hurst, late of Effingham County, Georgia, deceased.

To

John B. Berry

"One negro man name of Limbrick"

(Signed) John Hurst, Admr. (L.S.)

Mary her X mark Hurst, Admr. (L.S.)

EBENEZER RECORD BOOK

Translated by A. G. Voigt D. D., L. L. D. 1929. Containing Early Records of Jerusalem Evangelical Lutheran Church, Effingham, Georgia. More commonly known as Ebenezer Church.

Page 44:

"842. William, Son of _____ Wilson, was born _____, 1769 and baptized March 23, 1770, in the New Jerusalem Church. Sponsors were William Wilson and his wife, Sarah".

Page 54:

"1000. Grace, Daughter of James Wilson and Sarah, his wife's, was born 3rd. of Jan, 1772, and baptized on the 21st. of Oct. 1774. Godfathers were both parents."

Page 59:

"Martha, Daughter of John Wilson and Susannah, his wife's, being born the 29th. of April 1777, baptized on the 27th of May, 1777. Godfather John Wilson and Martha Bishop".

Page 74:

"179 John Wilson, an Englishman, was united in marriage with Mary Riedelsperger, Nov. 19, 1760".

Page 52:

"984 Zacharias, son of Robert Wilson and Rachel his wife, was born on the 12th. day of April 1771, baptized on the 7th. of Jan. 1774. Godfathers were both parents."

Page 81:

"295. John Burnell and Winefred Wilson, both of St. George's Parish, were both thrice published before the congregation, and have desired a certificate thereof on the _____ of Jan. 1773."

Page 82:

"Samuel Pace and Mary Glasher, both of this Parish, were lawfully married on the 18th. of Decbr. 1774."

Page 39:

"792 John, son of Nicolaus Horton and Polly Goepel is born the 12th. of Nov. 1768 and baptized on the 31st. of Decr. 1768. Godfather stood Thomas Lloyd for William Wylly and Nicols Horton for John Stirck and Mother of the child stood Godmother."

Page 59:

"William Francis, son of James Port and Catharine Flukenfuss being born on the 14th. of Decbr. 1776, baptized on the 24th. of Jun. 1777. Godfathers, Mr. William Wylley, instead of Richard Wylles and the father of James Port."

Wilson data contained in letters of Mrs. Catharine L. Steele, daughter of Eliza Ann (Wilson) McLeod, (Jeremiah Wilson, Captain James Wilson, R. S.).

Dixie, Ga. 9,24,1912

Mr. Milton D. Wilson
Bartow, Florida

Dear Cousin Milton:

Thinking you would like to know something of our great-grandmother's History, wife of James Wilson, I am writing this to you as told to me by my Father and Mother.

Our great-grandmother's Maiden Name was Eliza Ann Gordon. Her parents came from Edinburgh, Scotland, and settled I think in South Carolina.

The Gordons, McLeods, and McMillans were all intimate friends. Our great-grandmother Wilson was a Widow Pace, and married James Wilson. She had two brothers and they were on opposite sides in the Revolutionary War. One was Captain of a Company of Loyalists and one was with the Colonist.

Now our Brilliant and Gallant General John B. Gordon of Georgia was a grandson of one of these Brothers. I have all ways felt a pride in this line of ancestry and feeling sure that you will I wanted to tell you.

Yours Sincerely
Katie Steele

Dixie, Ga. 10,4,1912

Mr. Milton D. Wilson
Bartow, Fla.

Dear Cousin Milton:

Your letter of the 28th. received and I will gladly tell you all I know about our great-grandmother Ann Wilson. From conversations that I heard when a child pass between my Mother and Father and grandfather Wilson,

They seemed to hold the Gordon Family in high esteem, and mentioned Chivalrous acts of Capt. Gordon twoards the Colonist's. Altho he was serving in the British army.

My Father told of incidents that he heard from his mother about Captain Gordon.

That he sometimes camped with his men near her father's plantation and was very courteous to the family and would not allow his men to molest their property, altho the McMillans were with the Colonist.

From what I learned of our great-grandfather Wilson, he was a man of medium size, of a very genial nature and always took an optimistic view of life, and never worried about anything.

And one of his peculiarities was that he would have and nothing more for his breakfast was a dish of hominy and two eggs and a glass of buttermilk. I don't know what he eat for dinner.

He enjoyed good health and was fond of riding horse back. At the age of ninety years could put his foot in the stirrup and spring from the ground into the saddle. I have frequently heard my mother say that her grandfather Wilson lived to be over 100 years old.

I did not rec. the copies of the Will and War records mentioned in your letter. You forgot to enclose them with the letter. I would like to get them.

With best wishes I am

Your Cousin

Katie Steele

Dixie, Ga. 10,23,1912

Mr. Milton D. Wilson
Bartow, Fla.

Dear Cousin Milton:

Please accept my sincere thanks for the copy of our great-grandfather's will also the documentary proofs of his service in the Revolutionary War. I appreciate them and thank you again for your kindness.

You are engaged in a good work. To know something of the lines of our ancestors, when they were noble, pure, and Patriotic will stimulate us to higher aims in life, and have its influence on the generations to come.

I did not know that Ann Gordon first married a Woodward. I have heard my mother speak of her Uncle Tryon Pace, but she did not mention any other Pace children.

I think Tryon Pace lived in Effingham County and that his mother made her home with him after the death of her husband. I remember hearing grandfather Wilson say that his mother died at his brother Tryon Pace's.

I don't remember of ever having heard of Sarah Francis Wilson. She may have been a grand daughter or daughter in law.

I heard grandfather Wilson (Jeremiah Wilson, son of Captain James Wilson, R. S.) speak of a Brother who died at his father's house and requested that his little daughter named Gracie be sent to the orphan home in Savannah, Georgia, and that she was brought up in that institution. I have heard my mother speak of Gracie as being a model housekeeper and an expert in fancy embroidery. I think she married Lewis Mallette.

I am going to try to remember more of the incidents in the lives of them old people. I think by talking with some of the older kin that they may recall some thing that I have forgotten and then I will write you.

Wishing you success

I am your sincere Cousin

Katie Steele

ROSTER OF CAPT. JAMES WILSON'S COMPANY IN 10th REGIMENT OF THE CONTINENTAL LINE FROM NORTH CAROLINA IN REVOLUTIONARY WAR

Name	Rank	Dates of Commissions and Enlistments	Period of Service	Occurrences
Abraham Shepard	Col.	1777		Om'td June '78
James Wilson	Capt.	19 Apr. 1777		Resignd 20 May 1778
John Low	Lt.	19 Apr. 1777		Om'td Jan. 1778
Matw. McColley	Lt.	19 Apr. 1777		Om'td June 1778
Randall, Andrews	Sergt.	15 May 1777	3 yrs. w	Pt 1 July '78; Serg 1 Jany. '79.
Gray, Jas.	Sergt.	15 May 1777		
Kelly, Chas.	Sergt.	4 Aug. 1777	3 yrs.	Pt June '78; Corpl 1 Aug. '78; Sgt 26 Feb. '79.
Burton, Julius	Corpl.	20 May 1777	3 yrs. w	Pt June '78.
Carter, David	Corpl.	20 Aug. 1777		Died July '78.
Rich, David	Corpl.	10 Oct. 1777	2½ yrs.	Pt June '78; Om'td June '79.
Adcock, Joshua	Pt.	6 May 1777	3 yrs.	
Adcock, John	Pt.	6 May 1777	3 yrs.	
Brown, Thos.	Pt.	12 May 1777	w	
Brower, Henry	Pt.	12 May 1777		
Brooks, Thos.	Pt.	1 July 1777		
Bryant, Ambrose	Pt.	16 June 1777		Om'td June 1778
Collins, Chas.	Pt.	6 May 1777		
Cocker, Hy.	Pt.	1 July 1777	3 yrs.	(or Coker)
Coats, Benj.	Pt.	1 Sept. 1777		
Davis, Richd.	Pt.	15 May 1777		
Davis, Case	Pt.	1 Oct. 1777	3 yrs.	
Eager, Jno	Pt.	1 Oct. 1777	3 yrs.	
Ferrell, Enoch	Pt.	8 Aug. 1777		

Name	Rank	Dates of Commissions and Enlistments	Period of Service	Occurrences
Ford, Abm.	Pt.	10 May 1777		
Guttery, Hy.	Pt.	1 Nov. 1777		Died Oct. 1778
Giligan, Jno.	Pt.	1 Apr. 1778		Des't. 22 Apr. 1778
Ginew, Wm.	Pt.	6 Nov. 1777		Om'td June 1778
Hawkins, Wm.	Pt.	12 May 1777	3 yrs. w	
Hooper, Anthy.	Pt.	16 May 1777	3 yrs	Des't. 28 July 1778
McCallister, Jos.	Pt.	15 July 1777		Om'td June '78
McFailin, Allxr.	Pt.	4 Nov. 1777		Des't. Jany. '80
Morse, Francis	Pt.	3 Apr. 1778		Des't. 20 April 1778
Pasmore, David	Pt.	15 May 1777	3 yrs.	
Paden, Thos.	Pt.	20 May 1777	3 yrs.	
Richards, Jona.	Pt.	10 May 1777		Om'td June '78
Stokes, Joel	Musc.	6 May 1777	18 m. w	pt June '78; corp 20 Mch '79; pt Nov '79.
Stearn, Moses	Pt.	1 Feb. 1778	3 yrs. w	
Simmons, Jno., Senr,		15 Aug. 1777	3 yrs.	Disch. 21 Aug. '78
Serratt, Saml.	Pt.	12 May 1777		
Thomson, Nathln.	Pt.	20 May 1777	3 yrs.	Pris'r. 14 Apr. 1779
Tyler, Wm.	Pt.	1 Oct. 1777	3 yrs.	Des't. Jany. 1780.
Wilkerson, Jno.	Sergt.	20 May 1777	3 yrs. w	Pt June '78; des't Apr. '79.
Wiset, Jas.	Pt.	5 Oct. 1777		Om'td. June '78.

THE CARLTON FAMILY

SOME DESCENDANTS OF THOMAS CARLETON, A REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER, OF DUPLIN COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA.

COMPILED BY MILTON D. WILSON, BARTOW, FLORIDA.

Thomas Carleton, a Revolutionary Soldier, who together with his brother John Carleton, a Revolutionary Soldier, of Duplin County, North Carolina, are the progenitors of many of the Carltons of Georgia and Florida, was born in Chester County, Pennsylvania, May 10, 1747, and died in Duplin County, North Carolina, October 3, 1795. He married Martha , in Chester County, Pennsylvania, in 1769, and subsequently moved to New Hanover County, North Carolina, before the Revolutionary War. He lived in Duplin County, North Carolina, during the Revolutionary War, and was a soldier in the Revolution, serving as a private in Duplin County, North Carolina, and was paid for his services as allowed by Board of Auditors of Wilmington District, Duplin County, taken from New Hanover County, North Carolina, (See D.A.R. No. 248700).

Martha, wife of Thomas Carleton, was born in 1751, died in Duplin County, North Carolina, in 1797. (But see U. S. Census of Duplin County, N. C. for 1810, which shows Martha Carlton as Head of family, with one female 16 to 26 years of age and one female 26 to 45 years of age).

Thomas Carleton and Martha, his wife, had children as follows:

1. Rachel Carlton, born , 1771,
   who married Rogers.
2. Anna Carlton, born , 1773,
   who married Gillstrap.

3. John Carlton, born Apr. 20, 1775, died Feb. 26, 1868, who married Nancy Ann Alderman, daughter of David Alderman, R. S., of Duplin County, N. C.

4. Elizabeth Carlton, born , 1776, who, on Oct. 20, 1793, married Rev. Peter Carlton, her first cousin, son of John Carleton, R. S.

5. Lydia Carlton, born , 1778, who married Mathis.

6. Stephen Carlton, born , 1779

7. Thomas Carlton, born , 1780, who married Anna Wade, Apr. 5, 1805.

JUDGE JOHN CARLTON[2], son of Thomas Carlton[1], who spelled his name Carleton, (a Revolutionary Soldier), and Martha, his wife, was born in Duplin County, North Carolina, Apr. 20, 1775, died in Madison County, Florida, Feb. 26, 1868. He married Nancy Ann Alderman, in Duplin County, North Carolina. Nancy Ann Alderman was born in Duplin County, North Carolina, Nov. 17, 1775, died in Madison County, Florida, June 4, 1867. She was the daughter of David Alderman, R.S., and Jemima Hall, his wife. David Alderman was the son of Daniel Alderman and Abigail (Harris) Alderman, his wife, and Daniel Alderman was the son of Thomas Alderman, who was the son of William Alderman. After the marriage of John Carlton and Nancy Ann Alderman, they lived in Sampson County, North Carolina, which County adjoins Duplin County, North Carolina, where their children were born, (except Thomas who was born in Duplin County).

They had the following children:

A. Thomas Carlton, born about 1799, died Dec. , 1841, who married: 1st. Nancy Ward;
2nd. Lucretia Steward.

B. Mary (Polly) Carlton, born Nov. 3, 1801, died July 3, 1890, who married John Chastain, Jan. 14, 1830.

C. Alderman Carlton, born Jan. 4, 1803, died June 14, 1856, who married his first cousin, Martha Maria Alderman, daughter of Daniel Alderman, on Sept. 27, 1822.

D. Stephen Carlton, born Aug. 3, 1805, died Jan. 9, 1886, who married: 1st. Eunice Bankston;
2nd. Sarah Wells;
3rd. Mrs. Martha Dampier, a widow.

E. William Carlton, born Oct. , 1807, died Dec. 16, 1875, who married Harriett Hendry, daughter of William Hendry (Robert, R.S.).

F. Elizabeth Carlton, born , 1808, died Oct. , 1862, who married John Simmons.

G. Lydia Carlton, born Apr. 4, 1812, died May 24, 1898, who married: 1st. James Edward Hendry, son of William Hendry, son of Robert, R.S.;

2nd. Benjamin Moody.

H. John Wright Carlton, born Feb. 3, 1818, died Jan. 13, 1894, who married Mrs. Susan Lee (Cason) Murphy.

I. Martha Ann Carlton, born June , 1820, died Oct. 18, 1900, who married Rev. Robert McFail Hendry, son of William Hendry, son of Robert Hendry, a Revolutionary Soldier, of Liberty County, Georgia, who was born on the Island of Arran, Scotland.

LYDIA CARLTON[3], daughter of Judge John Carlton[2], son of Thomas Carlton[1], R.S., was born in Sampson County, North Carolina, on April 4, 1812, died in Polk County, Florida, on May 24, 1898, and is buried at the Homeland Cemetery, about five miles South of Bartow, Florida. In 1829 she married James Edward Hendry[3], (Wm.[2], Robert[1], R.S.). In the fall of 1851, she and her husband and large family moved from their home near Ochlocknee, Thomas County, Georgia, to Hillsborough County, Florida, after which her husband, James Edward Hendry, returned to Thomas County, Georgia, to wind up his business affairs in Georgia, and was stricken with diptheria and died at the home of his brother, Rev. Robert McFail Hendry, (his former home), Southeast of Ochlocknee, Georgia, and died Jan. 3, 1852, and was buried near the Hendry home in the Hendry Cemetery, being the first person buried in this Cemetery, where a tombstone marks his grave.

James Edward Hendry and Lydia Carlton, his wife, had the following children, all born in Thomas County, Georgia:

1. Martha Ann Hendry, born Aug. 9, 1830,
   who married Simpson Singletary, Jan. 30, 1850.
2. Adaline Hendry, born Feb. 4, 1832, died Nov. 8, 1895, who
   married Judge James Thomas Wilson, Oct. 19, 1848.
   (continued in Wilson Family Record).
3. Francis Asbury Hendry, born Nov. 19, 1833,
   who married Ardeline Lanier, March 20, 1852.
4. Albert J. Hendry, born Sept. 24, 1836,
   who married Sarah Jane Moody, Nov. , 1854, daughter
   of Benjamin Moody.
5. George Washington Hendry, born Dec. 3, 1838,
   who married Frances S. Varn, daughter of Frederick Varn
   and Sarah (Hiers) Varn, his wife, on Nov. 17, 1859.
6. Eli Hendry, born Feb. 1, 1840, died in infancy.

7. William Marion Hendry, born Dec. 12, 1842,
who married Susan C. Wall, Dec. 2, 1865.

8. Mary Jane Hendry, born Jan. 7, 1845,
who married J. J. Blount, Jan. 16, 1862.

9. Lydia Oregon Hendry, born April 14, 1847,
who married Benjamin F. Blount, Feb. 1, 1865.

10. Cornelia A. Hendry, born Aug. 10, 1849,
who married Edward Cross Wilder, Aug. 10, 1865.

11. Missouri Hendry, born July 10, 1851, died in infancy.

After the death of James Edward Hendry, his wife, Lydia (Carlton) Hendry, married Benjamin Moody, Nov. 5, 1854. From this marriage, they had one child:

12. Benjamin F. Moody, born July 8, 1856,
who married Nancy Eugene Wilson (Francis M., Allen, Capt. James, R.S.), Aug. 29, 1876.

THE ALDERMAN FAMILY

From Webster we learn that the term "Alderman" was applied among the Anglo-Saxons, to princes, dukes, earls, and other persons of rank to imply superior authority. In those early times it was not used as a surname or family name, but was a title of dignity or authority.

We do not venture a suggestion as to when or how the term came to be a family or surname.

In the twelfth century the better class of people began to assume family or surnames. Names were selected from various sources, such as were considered appropriate to the individuals, their stations and peculiar vocations.

In 1180, one Jordan Alderman was party to the transfer of real estate to the Holy Trinity Church. Simon Alderman was High Sheriff of London in 1190. In 1216 Jacob Alderman was Lord Mayor of London.

During the succeeding years there is no question in the use of the term, as we find Mary Alderman, Christian Alderman.

The name occurs frequently in records in London, Ipswick, Southampton, Norfolk, Suffolk, Canterbury, and other places in England. Records of births, baptisms, marriage, wills, and burials are found in State Papers, Subsidy Rolls, Tax Records, Parish Registers, besides books of wills and deeds.

About 1630 John Alderman came from England and established himself in Salem, Massachusetts. He left no children.

Grace Alderman, among other "Persons of Quality" came to America in 1635.

About 1640 our ancestors, it is supposed, went from Salem and Dorchester, Massachusetts, and were among the first settlers of Hartford and Windsor, Connecticut. There, in 1671, William Alderman is first mentioned.

He was perhaps the son of Thomas Alderman, as William's son is recorded as Thomas Alderman "Junior".

William Alderman married Mary Case, a daughter of John and Sarah Case.

Sarah Case was the daughter of William and Agnes Spencer, who came to America in 1630 from Bedford, England.

Some of the Aldermans in England were of the class known as "Landed Gentry".

WILLIAM ALDERMAN was born , died 1697. In 1679, he married Mary Case, daughter of John Case and Sarah Spencer, his wife. William Alderman and wife lived at Simsbury, Connecticut.

Their children were:

1. Mary Alderman, born Sept. 22, 1680.
2. Thomas Alderman, born Jan. 11, 1683, who married Mary Segrove.
3. William Alderman, born Oct. 20, 1686.
4. Sarah Alderman, born , 1692.
5. John Alderman, born , 1695.
6. Joseph Alderman, born , 1697.

THOMAS ALDERMAN, son of William Alderman, was born at Simsbury, Connecticut, on Jan. 11, 1683, died 1715 in Cohansey, New Jersey.

In 1702 he married Mary Segrove, at Simsbury, Connecticut, and moved to Cohansey, New Jersey, about 1705.

Their children were:

1. Thomas Alderman
2. William Alderman
3. Mary Alderman
4. Daniel Alderman, born 1711, died 1785, who married Abijail Harris.

DANIEL ALDERMAN, son of Thomas, son of William Alderman, was born in Cohansey, New Jersey, in 1711; he moved to Duplin County, North Carolina, in 1755, where he died in 1785. In 1740 he married in Cohansey, New Jersey, Abijail Harris, and all of his children were born in New Jersey.

Their children were:

1. John Alderman, born 1742, died 1822, who married Mary Cashwell, in 1770.
2. Daniel Alderman, born 1748, died 1824, who married Sarah Newton, in 1773.
3. David Alderman, born , 1749, died Oct. 23, 1831, who married Jemima Hall.
4. Rachel Alderman
5. Mary Alderman
6. Hannah Alderman
7. Abijail Alderman

JOHN ALDERMAN, son of Daniel, Thomas, William, was born in Cohansey, New Jersey, in 1742. He came to Duplin County, North Carolina, with his parents in 1755. He died in 1822. In 1770 he married Mary Cashwell. He lived in Duplin County, North Carolina. John Alderman was in the Revolutionary War in same Regiment with his brother Daniel.

Their children were:

1. Elizabeth Alderman, born 1771, who married Isaac Newton.
2. Christian Alderman, born July 4, 1773, who married Reuben Rogers.
3. James Alderman, born 1775.
4. Mary Alderman, born 1778, who married Joshua Blanton.
5. John Alderman, born July 15, 1780, who married Ann Newton.
6. Keziah Alderman, born Dec. 16, 1782, who married Joshua Blanton.

DANIEL ALDERMAN, son of Daniel, Thomas, William, was born in Cohansey, New Jersey, in 1748, died in 1824. He came to Duplin County, North Carolina with his parents in 1755. In 1773, he married Sarah Newton.

Daniel served as a soldier in the Revolutionary War in North Carolina. (Authority North Carolina Revolutionary Records see Index).

Their children were:

1. Jemima Alderman, born Oct. 4, 1773, who married James Bland.
2. David Alderman, born Sept. 9, 1775, who married Nancy Morgan.
3. Rachel Alderman, born Oct. 19, 1777, who married Bryant Buxton.
4. Sarah Alderman, born Jan. 7, 1782, who married James Newton.
5. Isaac Alderman, born May 23, 1784, who married Elizabeth Morgan.
6. Mary Alderman, born Aug. 31, 1786, who married John Crumpton.
7. Elisha Alderman, born Sept. 29, 1788, who married Rebecca Alderman.
8. Elizabeth Alderman, born Nov. 27, 1791, single.

"DAVID ALDERMAN (son of Daniel, Thomas, William), was born at Deerfields, Cohansey Precinct, New Jersey, in 1749. He was six years old when his parents moved to Duplin County, North Carolina. In 1773 he was married to Jemima Hall. The Halls were people of standing in the Harrell's Store section, many of them were members of Wells Chapel Baptist Church.

As we have seen, Daniel Alderman, Sr., by his will, probated in 1785, left the old Alderman home place to his youngest son, David, but few records of the Alderman family during those years can be found and traditions are scant. David and Jemima reared their family of fourteen children at the old home place in Duplin County.

In appearance David was slender, rather reserved in his manner, devoted to home life, and was a good citizen. If we may judge from the character of his children, his intellectual acquirements were such as were common to the country and the times.

During the early years of the nineteenth century, several of David's children, following the trend of migration, went to Bulloch County, Georgia, others went later. Their descendants are scattered pretty well over Georgia and Florida. In 1816, David, with his wife and the younger children, moved to Bulloch County, Georgia; the old home place where he lived is still pointed out. David had never connected himself with any church until he went South, he then joined the Baptist Church. He died October 23, 1831, and was buried in the Brannen Cemetery". --- Etc., etc.

Extract from the Alderman history in course of preparation.

David Alderman served as a soldier in the Revolutionary War from Duplin County, North Carolina (authority: Book W No. 1, page 4, 28, also North Carolina Revolutionary Army Accounts Vol. VI, page 30, folio 4).

David Alderman and his wife Jemima Hall had the following children:

1. Daniel Alderman, born Mar. 25, 1774, who married four times:
   1st. Ann Newton;
   2nd. Mary Wilson;
   3rd. Mary Williams;
   4th. Mary Pointevint Wilson.
2. Nancy Ann Alderman, born Nov. 11, 1775, who married Judge John Carlton, son of Thomas Carlton, R. S. of Duplin County, N. C.
3. Thomas Alderman, born Aug. 8, 1777, who married Susan Newton.
4. Mary Alderman, born Aug. 29, 1779, who married Timothy Murphy.
5. Elizabeth Alderman, born Apr. 20, 1781, who married Newton.

6. Phoebe Alderman, born Apr. 11, 1783, who married John Matthis.
7. Lucretia Alderman, born Mar. 19, 1785, who married Joshua Herring.
8. Rachel Alderman, born Jan. 12, 1787, who married Sloan.
9. Samuel Alderman, born Mar. 13, 1789, who married Sarah Chestnutt.
10. Rebecca Alderman, born Feb. 25, 1793, who married Elisha Alderman, her first cousin, son of Laniel Alderman.
11. Susanna Alderman, born Mar. 14, 1795, who married William Bland.
12. William Alderman, born Jan. 12, 1798, who married Sarah Edmundson.
13. Timothy Alderman, born Feb. 19, 1801, (twin with James), who married Sarah Williams.
14. James Alderman, born Feb. 19, 1801, (twin with Timothy), who married Anna Holloway.

ELIZABETH ALDERMAN, daughter of John, Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born in Duplin County, North Carolina, in 1771, and married Isaac Newton.

Their children were:

1. James Newton
2. Mary Ann Newton
3. George Newton
4. William Newton

CHRISTIAN ALDERMAN, daughter of John, Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born in Duplin County, North Carolina, July 4, 1773. She married Reuben Rogers.

Their children were:

1. Mary Rogers
2. Jesse Rogers
3. John Rogers
4. David Rogers
5. James Rogers
6. Reuben Rogers
7. Elizabeth Rogers
8. Sarah Rogers
9. Anna Rogers
10. Benjamin Rogers
11. William C. Rogers
12. Noah Rogers

MARY ALDERMAN, daughter of John, Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born in Duplin County, North Carolina, in 1778. She married Joshua Blanton.

Their children were:

1. Moses Blanton
2. David Blanton
3. Isaac Blanton
4. John Blanton
5. Christian Blanton
6. Enoch Blanton
7. Abraham Blanton

After the death of Mary, her husband married Mary's sister Keziah, and they had eight children (see Keziah Alderman).

JOHN ALDERMAN, son of John, Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born in Duplin County, North Carolina, on July 15, 1780. He married Ann Newton.

Their children were:

1. Enoch Alderman
2. James Alderman
3. Isaac N. Alderman
4. William Alderman
5. Mary Alderman
6. John B. Alderman
7. Elizabeth Alderman
8. Esther Alderman
9. Daniel Alderman
10. Jemima Alderman
11. Rebecca Alderman
12. A. Biggs Alderman
13. Susan Alderman
14. Hosea Alderman
15. Joseph Alderman

KEZIAH ALDERMAN, daughter of John, Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born in Duplin County, North Carolina, on Dec. 16, 1782. She married Joshua Blanton, widower of her deceased sister Mary.

Their children were:

1. Elizabeth Blanton
2. Mary Blanton
3. Alderman Blanton
4. Wells Blanton
5. Simeon Blanton
6. Cashwell Blanton
7. Noah Blanton
8. Esther Blanton

JEMIMA ALDERMAN, daughter of Daniel (R.S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Oct. 4, 1773. She married James Bland.

Their children were:

1. William Bland
2. Daniel Bland
3. Edith Bland

DAVID ALDERMAN, son of Daniel (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Sept. 9, 1775. He married Nancy Morgan.

Their children were:

1. Daniel Alderman
2. Charity Alderman
3. Jane Alderman
4. John Alderman
5. Rebecca Alderman
6. I. Morgan Alderman
7. Sarah Alderman
8. Elizabeth Alderman
9. Mary Alderman
10. Phoebe Alderman
11. Dinah Alderman
12. Margaret Alderman
13. William Alderman
14. Alfred Alderman
15. David Alderman

RACHEL ALDERMAN, daughter of Daniel (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Oct. 19, 1777. She married Bryant Buxton.

Their children were:

1. Mary Buxton
2. Elizabeth Buxton
3. Matilda Buxton
4. John Buxton
5. James Buxton

SARAH ALDERMAN, daughter of Daniel (R.S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Jan. 7, 1782. She married James Newton.

Their children were:

1. Susan Newton
2. Rebecca Newton
3. Amos Newton
4. Mary Newton
5. Elizabeth Newton
6. Jeptha Newton
7. James Newton
8. Jane Newton
9. Pennie Newton
10. Hannah Newton
11. Micah Newton
12. Daniel Newton
13. Priscilla Newton
14. Aquilla Newton

ISAAC ALDERMAN, son of Daniel (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born May 23, 1784. He married Elizabeth Morgan.

Their children were:

1. Dinah Alderman
2. Owen Alderman
3. Asa Alderman
4. Rebecca Alderman
5. Nancy Alderman

MARY ALDERMAN, daughter of Daniel (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Aug. 31, 1786. She married John Crumpton.

Their children were:

1. Thomas Crumpton.

ELISHA ALDERMAN, son of Daniel (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Sept. 29, 1788. He married Rebecca Alderman, his first cousin, daughter of David Alderman, R. S.

Their children were:

1. James Alderman
2. Jemima Alderman
3. Amos Alderman
4. Sarah Alderman
5. Joseph Alderman
6. David B. Alderman
7. Susan Alderman
8. Daniel W. Alderman
9. Isaac Alderman
10. George F. Alderman
11. William Alderman

DANIEL ALDERMAN, son of David (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born March 25, 1774. He married 1st. Ann Newton.

Their children were:

1. David Alderman
2. George Alderman

After the death of his wife Ann Newton, he married 2nd. Mary Wilson.

Their children were:

3. Sarah A. Alderman
4. Elisha Jane Alderman
5. Timothy W. Alderman
6. Martha Alderman, who married Alderman Carlton, son of John, Thomas, (R. S.).

After the death of his wife Mary Wilson, he married 3rd. Mary Williams from which marriage there were no children. After the death of his wife Mary Williams, he married 4th. Mary Pointevint Wilson.

Their children were:

7. Isaac T. Alderman
8. James H. Alderman
9. Rebecca S. Alderman
10. W. Frank Alderman
11. Mary W. Alderman

NANCY ANN ALDERMAN, daughter of David (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Nov. 17, 1775, died June 4, 1867, in Madison County, Florida. She married Judge John Carlton, son of Thomas Carlton, R. S., and lived for many years in Sampson County, North Carolina, where her children were born. She and her husband moved from Sampson County, North Carolina about 1821 to Bullock County, Georgia, thence to Thomas County, Georgia about 1825, and later to Moseley Hall, Madison County, Florida, where both are buried in Friendship Cemetery near Moseley Hall. The children of Nancy Ann (Alderman) Carlton and her husband, Judge John Carlton, were:

1. Thomas Carlton, born about 1799, died Dec. , 1841, who married 1st. Nancy Ward; 2nd. Lucretia Steward.
2. Mary (Polly) Carlton, born Nov. 3, 1801, died July 3, 1890, who married John Chastain, Jan. 14, 1830.
3. Alderman Carlton, born Jan. 4, 1803, died June 14, 1856, who married his first cousin, Martha Maria Alderman, daughter of Daniel Alderman, on Sept. 27, 1822.
4. Stephen Carlton, born Aug. 3, 1805, died Jan. 9, 1886, who married 1st. Eunice Bankston; 2nd. Sarah Wells; 3rd. Mrs. Martha Dampier, a widow.
5. William Carlton, born Oct. , 1807, died Dec. 16, 1875, who married Harriett Hendry, daughter of William Hendry (Robert, R. S.).
6. Elizabeth Carlton, born 1808, died Oct. 1862, who married John Simmons.
7. Lydia Carlton, born Apr. 4, 1812, died May 24, 1898, who married 1st. James Edward Hendry, son of William Hendry, son of Robert, R. S.; 2nd. Benjamin Moody.
8. John Wright Carlton, born Feb. 3, 1818, died Jan. 13, 1894, who married Mrs. Susan Lee (Cason) Murphy.

9. Martha Ann Carlton, born June , 1820, died Oct. 18, 1900, who married Rev. Robert McFail Hendry, son of William Hendry, son of Robert Hendry, a Revolutionary Soldier, of Liberty County, Georgia, who was born on the Island of Arran, Scotland.

"Before closing this, we will interpolate a few lines upon my Grandfather Carlton, who was my mother's father, whom I can remember well.

John Carlton resembled greatly old Abraham. I never read of old Abraham but in my mind's eye I behold my grandfather. He had his family worship mornings and evenings as regularly as the days came and went. I can recall vividly the verbiage of many of his prayers, and can sing many of the songs that I learned when but eight years old at my grandfather's hearthstone, as though it was but yesterday.

Two of his sons -- Thomas and Wright -- were Methodist preachers, the former was among the oldest and the latter the youngest of the family. The whole family, from grandfather down, were exemplary Christians, their piety proverbial, most of them held family worship and their examples are in evidence among many of their descendants till this day.

If there was ever a stronger evidence of the fulfillment of God's promises to the righteous than in his case, we never heard of it. Out of the entire number of his descendants, which run into the thousands, if one has ever been convicted of crime, we never heard of it.

My grandmother's name was Nancy Alderman, and her family has been noted for the morality of its members.

John Carlton was in his ninety-third year and his wife in her ninety-second year at the time of their deaths, which occurred near Moseley Hall, in Taylor County, Florida, in 1867

and 1868, respectively.

As far back as I can remember, Grandfather Carlton lived on the Ocklocknee River, in Thomas County, Georgia, and owned a saw and grist mill, run by waters of that river, which was standing only a few years ago. The mill passed from his hands to Robert M. Hendry, after which William M. Hendry owned it. This mill was located eight miles North of Thomasville, Ga." From page 8 and 9 "Family Record of Lydia (Carlton) Hendry Moody", by Judge George W. Hendry, 1900."

THOMAS ALDERMAN, son of David (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Aug. 8, 1777. He married Susan Newton.

Their children were:

1. James Alderman
2. George Alderman
3. David Alderman
4. Jemima Alderman
5. William Alderman
6. Samuel Alderman
7. (Daniel) Alderman
8. Timothy Alderman

MARY ALDERMAN, daughter of David (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Aug. 29, 1779. She married Timothy Murphy.

Their children were:

1. David Murphy
2. William Murphy
3. Susan Murphy
4. Elizabeth Murphy

5. Jennie Murphy
6. Phoebe Murphy
7. Mary Murphy

LUCRETIA ALDERMAN, daughter of David (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born March 19, 1785. She married Joshua Herring.

Their children were:

1. Thomas Herring
2. Mary Herring

SAMUEL ALDERMAN, son of David (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born March 13, 1789. He married Sarah Chestnutt.

Their children were:

1. Mary Alderman
2. Susan Alderman
3. Thomas Alderman
4. Daniel Alderman
5. Rebecca Alderman
6. David Alderman
7. Jane Alderman
8. Hiram Alderman
9. Harmon Alderman
10. Lavinia Alderman
11. William Alderman
12. Mitchell Alderman
13. Safronia Alderman

REBECCA ALDERMAN, daughter of David (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Feb. 25, 1793. She married Elisha Alderman, her first cousin, son of Daniel Alderman, R. S.

Their children were:

1. James Alderman
2. Jemima Alderman
3. Amos Alderman
4. Sarah Alderman
5. Joseph Alderman
6. David B. Alderman
7. Susan Alderman
8. Daniel W. Alderman
9. Isaac Alderman
10. George F. Alderman
11. William Alderman

WILLIAM ALDERMAN, son of David (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Jan. 12, 1798. He married Sarah Edmundson.

Their children were:

1. John Alderman
2. Polly Alderman
3. Nancy Alderman
4. Viney Alderman
5. Mitchell Alderman
6. William Alderman
7. Isaac Alderman
8. David Alderman

TIMOTHY ALDERMAN, son of David (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Feb. 19, 1801. (He was a twin to James). He married Sarah Williams.

Their children were:

1. James Alderman
2. Nancy Alderman
3. Polly Alderman
4. Jensie Alderman
5. Susan Alderman
6. Ezekiel Alderman
7. Elizabeth Alderman
8. Martha Alderman
9. Henry Alderman
10. Timothy Alderman
11. Sarah J. Alderman

JAMES ALDERMAN, son of David (R. S.), Daniel, Thomas, William Alderman, was born Feb. 19, 1801. (He was a twin to Timothy). He married Anna Holloway.

Their children were:

1. Mitchell Alderman
2. Eliza Alderman
3. Matthew Alderman
4. Jensie Alderman
5. Timothy Alderman
6. Mary Alderman
7. William Alderman
8. Michael Alderman
9. Hiram Alderman
10. Susan Alderman
11. Catherine Alderman
12. Elizabeth Alderman

13. Nancy Alderman
14. Rachel Alderman
15. David Alderman

SOME DESCENDANTS OF

ROBERT HENDRY

OF

LIBERTY COUNTY, GEORGIA
FORMERLY OF MORGAN COUNTY, GEORGIA,
AND OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY, N. C.

A SOLDIER IN THE AMERICAN REVOLUTIONARY WAR

ROBERT HENDRY[1], the progenitor of the Hendry family in Georgia and Florida, was born in Scotland, on the Island of Arran, on March 17, 1752, the son of John Hendry. He immigrated to North Carolina prior to the Revolutionary War. He married Ann Lee in February 1778. Ann Lee was born in New Hanover County, North Carolina, on December 26, 1752. Robert Hendry served as a soldier in the Revolutionary War and after the war he settled in Liberty County, Georgia, with his family.

The children of Robert Hendry and Ann (Lee) Hendry, his wife, were:

A. John Hendry[2], born December 1, 1778, died December 1858, in Hamilton County, Florida, who married Catherine (Katie) McFail.

B. Neal Hendry[2], born July 1780, died April 21, 1820, in Morgan County, Georgia, who married Pamelia .

C. William Hendry[2], born February 12, 1783, died June 6, 1840, in Lowndes County, Georgia, who married Nancy McFail.

D. James Hendry[2], born , 1784, died December 25, 1803, in Liberty County, Georgia. (never married).

E. Robert Hendry[2], born in North Carolina, March 4, 1787, died January 30, 1846, in Liberty County, Georgia, who married Nancy Daniel.

F. George A. Hendry[2], born February 1, 1789, died April 15, 1852, in Liberty County, Georgia, who married Levicy A.

G. Archibald Hendry[2], born March 20, 1791, died December 23, 1818, in Liberty County, Georgia.

H. Elizabeth Ann Hendry[2], born February 26, 1793, died March 12, 1879, in Liberty County, Georgia, who married Jesse Floyd, April 4, 1843. (no children)

I. Mary Hendry[2], born July 8, 1795, died November 15, 1841, in Liberty County, Georgia, and who never married.

Robert Hendry[1], the immigrant, died in Liberty County, Georgia, August 31, 1830, and was buried at the Hendry Cemetery which is about four miles northwest from Taylors Creek, Georgia. There is a tombstone erected to his memory. (The old Hendry plantation is now (1944) part of U. S. Army Camp Stewart and the tombstones from the Hendry Cemetery have been removed to the Methodist Cemetery at Taylors Creek, and the church and town of Taylors Creek have been razed to the ground).

Ann (Lee) Hendry, wife of Robert Hendry, the immigrant, died in Liberty County, Georgia, on May 31, 1834, and was buried at the above Hendry Cemetery.

Ann Lee, the mother of Ann (Lee) Hendry, died near Buckhead, Burke County, Georgia, November 26, 1800.

Ann (Lee) Hendry, widow of Robert Hendry, the immigrant, of Bakers District, Liberty County, Georgia, was granted Lot No. 70 in the Ninth District of the Fourth Section in the County of Cherokee, in the Cherokee Land Lottery, as a widow of a Revolutionary Soldier.

Robert Hendry[1], the immigrant, of the 17th District, Liberty County, was granted Lot No. 229, in the Second District of the First Section in the County of Lee, as a Revolutionary Soldier.

The Will of Ann Hendry (wife of Robert Hendry) was dated February 3, 1834, and was probated May 14, 1835, in Liberty County, Georgia. The devisees mentioned in this will are her children: Robert Hendry, George Hendry, Elizabeth Ann Hendry, and Mary Hendry. Her son Robert Hendry is named Executor.

Arran, Scotland, is an island in the Firth of Clyde, 20 miles long and 10 miles wide with an area of 165 square miles. The island attains the loftiest summit in Goatfell, which is 2900 feet high. The southern portion is rather hilly than mountainous, and contains several arable tracts of considerable extent and tolerable fertility. The geology of Arran has attracted much attention, as furnishing within a comparatively narrow space distinct sections of the great geological formations. The botany possesses almost equal interest, both in the variety and the rarity of many of its plants.

Among objects of historical interest are the cave of Drumidoon, relics of Danish forts and Druidical stones. Cattle raising and fishing are the principal industries. Brodick and Lamlash are the chief harbors, both on the east coast. About half of the population speak both gaelic and English. Population in 1900 was 6000.

Consult "The Book of Arran", edited by J. A. Balfour, Glasgow, 1910.

C. WILLIAM HENDRY[2], son of Robert Hendry[1], R.S., was born in New Hanover County, North Carolina, Feb. 12, 1783, died June 6, 1840, in what is now Brooks County, Georgia, on his plantation about 8 miles southeast of Pavo, Georgia, and about 10 miles north of Quitman, Georgia.

On Dec. 7, 1807, he married Nancy McFail, born Nov. 4, 1786, died June 27, 1840, in what is now Brooks County, Georgia, daughter of James McFail, a Revolutionary Soldier, and Judith, his wife.

William Hendry, his wife, son Eli H. Hendry, and others died of an epidemic prevalent at that time thought to have been typhoid fever.

They had the following children:

1. James Edward Hendry, born Sept. 29, 1808, died January 3, 1852, who married Lydia Carlton, daughter of Judge John Carlton, in 1829.
2. Eli Harrison Hendry, born Sept. 26, 1810, died June 4, 1840, in Thomas County, Georgia, who married Jane Alderman, May 3, 1835. They had one child, Georgia Ann Hendry, who married John M. Hurst (John, Wm., Wm., R.S.), and They both died without issue.
3. Harriet Hendry, born March 28, 1812, died May 23, 1898, at Ft. Green Springs, Florida, who married William Carlton, son of Judge John Carlton.
4. Nancy Jane Hendry, born March 26, 1814, died Sept. 5, 1888, unmarried.
5. Robert McFail Hendry, born Feb. 29, 1816, died Aug. 30, 1888, who married Martha Ann Carlton, daughter of Judge John Carlton, Dec. 15, 1838.
6. William Hamilton Hendry, born May 9, 1818, died June 3, 1897, who married: 1st Patricia Peacock; 2nd Eveline Hale.
7. Neal Hendry, born April 6, 1820, died Nov. 16, 1892, who married Margaret Campbell, March 4, 1844.

8. John McFail Hendry, born July 5, 1822, died Oct. 26, 1900, who married: 1st. Abilene Campbell; 2nd Caroline Matilda Bell.

9. David Lee Hendry, born June 18, 1824, died who married Mary Hamilton, daughter of John Hamilton.

10. Mary Winn Hendry, born July 2, 1826, died January , 1882, who married William Compton Carlton, son of Rev. Thomas Carlton, a son of Judge John Carlton.

11. Elizabeth Caroline Hendry, born Dec. 30, 1830, died March , who married Jacob Curry, in Thomas County, Georgia.

William Hendry[2], with his family, his brother John Hendry and family, and his mother-in-law, Judith McFail, and family, moved from Liberty County, Georgia to Lowndes County, Georgia (now Brooks County) about 1825.

JAMES EDWARD HENDRY[3], son of William Hendry[2], son of Robert Hendry[1], R. S., was born in Liberty County, Georgia, Sept. 29, 1808, died in Thomas County, Georgia, on January 3, 1852, at the home of his brother, Rev. Robert McFail Hendry, about 3 miles southeast of Ochlocknee, Ga., to whom he had returned for a visit to wind up his business affairs in Georgia after having just previously removed his family to Hillsborough County, Florida. He is buried in the Hendry Cemetery southeast of Ochlocknee, Ga. In 1829 he married Lydia Carlton, born in Sampson County, N. C., on April 4, 1812, died in Polk County, Florida, on May 24, 1898, daughter of Judge John Carlton (Thomas, R. S.) and Nancy Ann Alderman (David, R. S.), his wife.

The children of James Edward Hendry[3] and Lydia Carlton, his wife, were:

1. Martha Ann Hendry, born Aug. 9, 1830,
   who married Simpson Singletary, Jan. 30, 1850.
2. Adeline Hendry, born Feb. 4, 1832, died Nov. 8, 1895, who
   married Judge James Thomas Wilson, Oct. 19, 1848.
   (continued in Wilson Family Record). See page 5.
3. Francis Asbury Hendry, born Nov. 19, 1833,
   who married Ardeline Lanier, March 20, 1852.
4. Albert J. Hendry, born Sept. 24, 1836,
   who married Sarah Jane Moody, Nov. , 1854, daughter
   of Benjamin Moody.
5. George Washington Hendry, born Dec. 3, 1838,
   who married Frances S. Varn, daughter of Frederick Varn
   and Sarah (Hiers) Varn, his wife, on Nov. 17, 1859.
6. Eli Hendry, born Feb. 1, 1840, died in infancy.
7. William Marion Hendry, born Dec. 12, 1842,
   who married Susan C. Wall, Dec. 2, 1865.
8. Mary Jane Hendry, born Jan. 7, 1845,
   who married J. J. Blount, Jan. 16, 1862.

9. Lydia Oregon Hendry, born April 14, 1847,
who married Benjamin F. Blount, Feb. 1, 1865.
10. Cornelia A. Hendry, born Aug. 10, 1849,
who married Edward Cross Wilder, Aug. 10, 1865.
11. Missouri Hendry, born July 10, 1851, died in infancy.

After the death of James Edward Hendry[3], his wife, Lydia (Carlton) Hendry, married Benjamin Moody, November 5, 1854. From this marriage they had one child: Benjamin F. Moody, born July 8, 1856, who married Nancy Eugene Wilson (Francis M., Allen, Capt. James, R. S.), August 29, 1876.

SOME DESCENDANTS OF JAMES MC FAIL,

A REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER, OF LIBERTY COUNTY, GEORGIA.

JAMES MC FAIL, a Revolutionary Soldier, was born in County, N. C., , died in Liberty County, Georgia, 1817-1820, and is buried at the old Baptist Church Cemetery, which is located about one-fourth mile East of the Methodist Church Cemetery, at Taylors Creek, Liberty County, Georgia.

On , he married Judith , born , died after 1850 at Taylors Creek, Liberty County, Georgia.

They had the following children:

1. Nancy McFail, born Nov. 4, 1786, died in Lowndes (now Brooks) County, Georgia, June 27, 1840, who, on Dec. 7, 1807, married William Hendry, son of Robert Hendry (R.S.), and Ann Lee, his wife. (for this family record see Hendry Family).
2. Eli McFail, born Oct. 3, 1788, died at Taylors Creek, Liberty County, Georgia, Mar. 11, 1867, who, in 1814, married: 1st. Harriet Harville (no children); married 2nd., on Feb. 14, 1817, Elizabeth Smart, in Liberty County, Ga.
3. Catharine McFail, born April 18, 1789, died at Ft. Green, DeSoto (now Hardee) County, Florida, who, on , married John Hendry, son of Robert Hendry (R.S.) and Ann Lee, his wife. (for this family record consult the Hendry Family Record).
4. Sarah (Sally) McFail, born , died who married Martin, (Probably Daniel E. Martin or John Martin).
5. Judith McFail, born , died who married Columbus Johnson.

6. Zilpha McFail, born , 1805, died
who, on May 1, 1827, in Thomas County, Georgia, married William Sloan.

7. Isaac McFail, born , 1808, died
who with his widowed mother and family moved from Liberty County, Georgia, to Lowndes (now Brooks) County, Georgia, in 1825, who married

8. Alexander McFail, born , died
who, on May 11, 1843, in Thomas County, Georgia, married Miss Evreen Moore.

9. Jacob McFail, born , died

James McFail was a soldier in the Revolutionary War and Indian Wars.

His widow Judith McFail, after the death of James McFail, moved to Lowndes County, Georgia, about 1825, with her children and the families of her son's in law, William Hendry and John Hendry, and settled a few miles north of what is now Quitman, Georgia, in Brooks County. Later Judith McFail moved back to Taylors Creek, Liberty County, Georgia, where she lived until her death with her son Eli McFail.

Judith McFail, as widow of a Revolutionary Soldier, received an award of land in the Georgia Cherokee Land Lottery of , at which time she was living in Goulding's District, in Lowndes County, Georgia. See "Georgia's Roster of the Revolution", by L. L. Knight, 1920, on page 339.

The U. S. Census of Lowndes County, Georgia for 1830, shows Judith McFail as Head of a Family; also Isaac McFail as Head of a Family.

The Public Records in the Office of the Secretary of

State, in Atlanta, Georgia, shows that the following land grants were issued by the State of Georgia:

1. James McFail, 200 acres, issued 1817.
2. Eli McFail, 200 acres, issued 1818.
3. E. McFail, 365 acres, issued 1840.

The Public Records of Bryan County, Georgia, show that Eli McFail conveyed real estate therein prior to 1850.

ELI MC FAIL[2], son of James McFail, a Revolutionary Soldier, and Judith, his wife, was born , in , died , in Taylors Creek, Liberty County, Georgia, where he resided all of his adult life.

On , 1814, in Liberty County, Georgia, he married Harriet Harville. They had no children.

After the death of his first wife, Eli McFail married second, on Feb. 14, 1817, in Liberty County, Georgia, Elizabeth Smart, and they had two children:

1. James Eli McFail, born , died who married Valerie Mell, of Atlanta, Georgia, and had four children:
   (a) William McFail, who married and had 5 or 6 children, all live in Atlanta, Ga.
   (b) Elizabeth McFail, who married James Warner. (no children).
   (c) Virginia McFail, who married Bud Wallack, of Atlanta, Ga., and has 3 girls and 2 boys.
   (d) Irby Hudson McFail.
2. Mary Elizabeth McFail, born , died , who married John G. Martin, son of Angus Martin, and had 9 children:
   (a) Laura Tallula Martin, who married Robert Steel Hendry (John Abram, Robert, Robert).
   (b) Franklin Pierce Martin.
   (c) James Eli Martin.
   (d) John Angus Martin.
   (e) Nettie Martin.
   (f) Agnes Martin.
   (g) William Alfred Martin.

(h) Edward Martin.

(i) Annie Martin.

Eli McFail[2] was a prosperous planter and also operated a hotel at Taylors Creek, in Liberty County, Georgia. He owned a large plantation and had about one hundred slaves. He was a Methodist, but was not active in the church. He quit the church because his wife was expelled therefrom for some minor cause, but later he and his wife again joined the Methodist Church, at Taylors Creek, Georgia.

He was a strong prohibitionist and never used tobacco or alcoholic drinks in any form. He sent his son, James Eli McFail, to college in Atlanta, Georgia, after which his son resided in Atlanta.

James Eli McFail was in the C.S.A. and was wounded in the Battle of Atlanta and died from his wounds.

ZILPHA MC FAIL[2], daughter of James McFail[1], a Revolutionary Soldier, and his wife Judith, was born , 1805, in South Carolina, died , 1876, in Colquitt County, Ga.

On May 1, 1827, in Thomas County, Georgia, she married William Sloan, born , 1804, in North Carolina, died 1850-1860, in Colquitt County, Georgia.

They had thirteen children, as follows:

1. Caroline Sloan, born 1829,
   who married Matthew Alderman.
2. Hester Sloan, born 1830,
   who married William Murphy.
3. Isaac Sloan, born 1831, died in Confederate States Army, unmarried.
4. John Sloan, born 1833,
   who married: 1st. Mary Hancock;
   2nd. Adeline Thompson;
   3rd. Dempsie ;
   4th. Mary Parker.
5. Mahala Sloan, born 1834,
   who married Timothy Murphy.
6. Jasper Sloan, born 1836, was a soldier in C.S.A. but was captured by Northern Army and died in prison.
7. Elizabeth Sloan, born 1837,
   who married Gibson Lanier, son of Murphy Lanier and wife Tempy.
8. Newton Sloan, born 1838,
9. Daniel Sloan, born 1843,
10. David Sloan, born 1844, died C.S.A.
11. Nancy Sloan, born 1845,
    who married James Hinton.

12. William Taylor Sloan, born Apr. 4, 1848, alive 1936,
who married: 1st. Rebecca Welch;
2nd. Lucindy Caston.

13. Mary (Polly Ann) Sloan, born 1849,
who married Joe Rosenkrantz.

CAROLINE SLOAN[3], daughter of Zilpha (McFail) Sloan[2], daughter of James McFail[1], R.S., was born 1829, in Thomas County, Georgia, died

On , in Thomas County, Georgia, she married Matthew Alderman, born 1828, died son of Alderman, and they had the following children:

1. Benjamin Alderman, born 1847

2. Joel Alderman, born 1848

3. Mitchell Alderman, born 1850

(and probably other children)

HESTER SLOAN[3], daughter of Zilpha (McFail) Sloan[2], daughter of James McFail[1], R.S., was born 1830, in Thomas County, Georgia, died

On , she married William Murphy, born 1823, died , and they lived in Colquitt County, Georgia.

They had the following children:

1. Henry T. Murphy, born 1851

2. Sally A. Murphy, born 1854

3. Bird Murphy, born 1857

4. Isaac C. Murphy, born 1858

5. Elizabeth A. Murphy, born 1860

ISAAC MC FAIL[2], son of James McFail[1], a Revolutionary Soldier, and Judith, his wife, was born in Georgia, in 1807, died . On , he married: 1st. Miss Martha Blair, born 1808. dau. of Wm Blair of Lowndes Co. died , and they had the following children:

1. Gideon McFail, born 1830,
   who married
   and moved to County, Georgia.
2. Henry McFail, born 1832,
3. Nancy McFail, born 1834,
   who married Talton Joyce. They had children:
   (a) James Joyce.
   (b) John (Jack) Joyce, of Panama City, Florida.
4. Isaac McFail, born 1838,
5. Missouri McFail, born 1840,
   who married William Drew, in Madison County, Florida, on July 24, 1856.
6. Martha McFail, born 1843,
7. Eli McFail, born 1846, who on Jan. 15, 1878, in Brooks County, Georgia, married Emma Powell, and had 2 sons and 5 daughters.
8. Rebecca McFail, born 1847,
   who married Berry H. Gandy, July 12, 1869.
9. Attiney McFail, born 1849,

Isaac McFail[2], married 2nd. , and had a large family by his second wife, among whom were:

10. Miranda McFail, who married G. W. L. Dampier, Mar. 9, 1865.

11. Virginia McFail

12. Sarah (Sally) McFail

(and probably other children)

ELI MC FAIL[3], son of Isaac McFail[2], son of James McFail[1], a Revolutionary Soldier, and Judith, his wife, was born 1846, in Lowndes (now Brooks) County, Georgia, died Nov. 24, 1922.

On Jan. 15, 1878, in Brooks County, Georgia, he married Emma Powell, born , died , and they had 7 children, as follows:

1. Susan P. McFail,
   who married Allen E. Wright, Aug. 19, 1914. (died without issue).
2. Mamie Irene McFail, born
   who married Lewis I. Bozeman, Nov. 1, 1916.
3. Foy McFail (a girl), born
   who never married, lived with her sister, Mamie Irene, in Quitman, Georgia.
4. Jewell McFail, born
   who married J. Gordon Strickland, Oct. 5, 1920.
5. Annie McFail, born
   who married Charles T. Taylor, and lives in DeSoto County, Florida.
6. D. M. McFail, born
   who married Susie Johnson, in Brooks County, Georgia, Nov. 23, 1902, and lives in Palm Beach County, Florida.
7. E. P. McFail, born
   who lives in Dallas County, Texas.

THE HURST FAMILY
OF
GEORGIA AND FLORIDA

COMPILED BY MILTON D. WILSON, BARTOW, FLORIDA.

The Hurst family of Burke, Screven and Effingham Counties, Georgia, came to Georgia shortly after the Revolutionary War, from North Carolina, where William Hurst, Major Hurst, Jacob Hurst, and Phillip Hurst entered services in the Revolutionary War.

The services of William Hurst in the Revolutionary War are set forth on pages 386 and 411 of "Roster of Soldiers from North Carolina in the American Revolution", published by North Carolina D. A. R. - 1932, wherein it is shown that William Hurst was in the Militia from the Wilmington District, N. C. and was paid by Vouchers Nos. 197 and 3677.

The services of Major Hurst in the Revolutionary War are shown on page 390 of such Roster of Soldiers, wherein it is shown that Major Hurst was in the Militia from the Wilmington District, N. C. and was paid by Voucher No. 3800.

The services of Jacob Hurst in the Revolutionary War are set forth on page 390 of such Roster of Soldiers, wherein it is shown that Jacob Hurst was in the Militia from the Wilmington District, N. C. and was paid by Voucher No. 3796.

The services of Philip Hurst in the Revolutionary War are shown on page 410 of such Roster of Soldiers, wherein it is shown that Philip Hurst was in the Militia from the Wilmington District, N. C. and was paid by Voucher No. 3795.

William Hurst, R. S. and Major Hurst, R. S. moved from North Carolina to Burke County, Georgia, shortly after the Revolutionary War and, according to family tradition, they were brothers. Family tradition also says that Jesse Hurst, who moved to Effingham County, was a brother, and it is thought that Jacob Hurst,

R. S. was also a brother. Major and Jacob were Thomas Co. Census 1813.

William Hurst, R. S. moved from Burke County, Georgia to Screven County, Georgia, and later to Effingham County, Georgia, where he died about December 1, 1800, leaving his plantation, his mill, stock and personal property to his wife, Mary, for life, then to his son William and his daughter, Zilpha Hurst. See Deed of Gift in Deed Book C and D, page 404, Public Records of Effingham County, Georgia.

William Hurst, Jr. subsequently married Rosannah Bleachington on August 17, 1801 in Effingham County, Georgia, and Zilpha Hurst subsequently married Spier Blitch (son of Thomas Blitch, R. S. and Ann (Hodges) Blitch, his wife) on October 17, 1803.

William Hurst (R.S.) and wife, Mary, had the following children:

1. Thomas Hurst, born January 1776, married Serena Wylly about 1797.
2. William Hurst, who married 1st Rosannah Bleachington, August 17, 1801, in Effingham County, Georgia; 2nd. Mary Blitch (daughter of Thomas Blitch (R.S.)), June 2, 1821.
3. Zilpha Hurst, born
   who married Spier Blitch, son of Thomas Blitch, R. S., in Effingham County, Georgia, October 17, 1803.

According to family tradition, the following were also children of William Hurst, R. S. and his wife, Mary:

4. Felix Hurst, born 1774, died 1850, who married 1st
   ; 2nd Mrs. Ozfy Cole, December 9, 1833, in Effingham County, Georgia.
5. John Hurst, who married Elizabeth Blitch, (daughter of Thomas Blitch, R. S. and Ann (Hodges) Blitch, his wife), on January 22, 1808, in Effingham County, Georgia.
6. Jesse Hurst, who married Mary Hodges, September 20, 1802, in Effingham County, Georgia.

(There were probably other children)

THOMAS HURST, son of William Hurst, R. S., was born in January 1776. He married Serena Wylly about 1797 and lived in Effingham County, Georgia, until 1826, at which time he removed to Thomas County, Georgia, with his family and the family of his son-in-law, Allen Wilson, and settled about four or five miles North of Thomasville, Georgia, on what is now known as the Thomasville-Moultrie Highway. Thomas Hurst died December 26, 1837. Serena (Wylly) Hurst was born in 1784 and died April 23, 1845. Thomas Hurst and his wife, Serena, are both buried in the Wilson Cemetery about four miles North of Thomasville on the Moultrie Highway.

Children of Thomas Hurst and Serena (Wylly) Hurst, his wife, were:

I. William B. Hurst, born , 1798, died 1866, who married 1st Sarah Wilder; 2nd Rebecca Wells; 3rd Mrs. Ellafare (_____) Grantham, and who moved to Jefferson County, Florida, about 1830.

II. Mary Hurst, born Jan. 11, 1800, died Oct. 15, 1826, who married Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R. S., of Effingham County, Georgia, on Dec. 6, 1821.

III. Susannah Hurst, born Apr. 2, 1802, died July 16, 1858, who married John R. Irvine.

IV. Serena Hurst, born Oct. 15, 1803, died Nov. 5, 1843, who married the above named Allen Wilson, on Jan. 25, 1827.

V. Thomas J. Hurst, born , 1807, died who married Matilda Adams, Feb. 2, 1828.

VI. Sarah (Betsey) Hurst, born , 1811, died , who married Fabean Adams, Dec. 27, 1827. They moved to Texas.

VII. John Wiley Hurst, born , 1815, died , 1852, who married Mariah Hicks, daughter of George Hicks, on Aug. 11, 1831.

VIII. Harriet Hurst, born May 27, 1816, died March 14, 1890, who married John (Jack) Hurst, her first cousin, Aug. 25, 1831. John (Jack) Hurst was the son of William Hurst (Wm., R.S.), of Effingham County, Georgia, a brother of Thomas Hurst (Wm. Hurst, R.S.).

II. MARY HURST, daughter of Thomas Hurst, (Wm., R.S.), and Serena (Wylly) Hurst, his wife, was born Jan. 11, 1800. She married Allen Wilson, son of Capt. James Wilson, R. S., in Effingham County, Georgia, on Dec. 6, 1821. To this marriage was born, in Effingham County, Georgia, the following children:

1. James Thomas Wilson, born Mar. 16, 1823, died Oct. 28, 1889, in Polk County, Florida, who married Adaline Hendry, daughter of James Edward Hendry, (Wm., Robert, R.S.), in Thomas County, Georgia. (See page 5)
2. Gabriel Wilson, born Feb. 17, 1824, died July 16, 1868, while sheriff of Thomas County, Georgia, who married Susan Fulford, 5 Oct. 1850, a sister of Allen Wilson's third wife.
3. Eliza A. Wilson, born Sept. 8, 1825, died Sept. 7, 1903, in Polk County, Florida, who married 1st Henry H. Jones; 2nd Hillary B. Humphries, 4 May 1850, in Thomas County, Georgia.

Allen Wilson, together with his wife and children, moved from Effingham County, Georgia, to Thomas County, Georgia, in 1826, and settled about four miles North of Thomasville on what is now the Thomasville-Moultrie Road, where his wife, Mary (Hurst) Wilson, died on Oct. 15, 1826, and was buried in what is known as the Wilson Cemetery which is located about four miles North of Thomasville on the west side of the Thomasville-Moultrie Road. She was the first person buried in this cemetery.

IV. SERENA HURST, daughter of Thomas Hurst, (Wm., R.S.), and Serena (Wylly) Hurst, his wife, was born Oct. 15, 1803, died Nov. 5, 1843. On Jan. 25, 1827, after the death of her sister Mary, Serena Hurst married Allen Wilson, above mentioned, and they continued to live on the Wilson plantation about four miles North of

Thomasville, Georgia. To this marriage was born the following children:

1. Henry Alfred Wilson, born Nov. 25, 1827, died about 1880, who married Caroline Hurst, his first cousin, Sept. 25, 1846, in Thomas County, Georgia. She was the daughter of Thomas J. Hurst.
2. Harriet Wilson, born June 10, 1829, died June 10, , who married David Hall, son of James Hall.
3. John Wiley Wilson, born Dec. 4, 1830, died Mar. 25, 1902, who married Elizabeth Hall, sister of above David Hall.
4. Susannah Wilson, born Apr. 30, 1832, died Oct. 9, 1851, who married Terrell M. Fielder, 6 Oct. 1850.
5. Francis Marion Wilson, born Dec. 22, 1833, died June 8, 1868, who married Nancy Jane Coston.

Serena (Hurst) Wilson died Nov. 5, 1843, and is buried in above mentioned Wilson cemetery, where Allen Wilson is also buried.

JUDGE JAMES THOMAS WILSON, son of Mary (Hurst) Wilson and Allen Wilson, (the said Mary (Hurst) Wilson being the daughter of Thomas Hurst, (Wm., R.S.), and Serena Wylly, his wife; the said Allen Wilson being the son of Capt. James Wilson, R. S. and Ann Gordon, his wife, of Effingham County, Georgia), was born in Effingham County, Georgia, on Mar. 16, 1823, died in Polk County, Florida, Oct. 28, 1889. On Oct. 19, 1848, in Thomas County, Georgia, he married Adaline Hendry, the daughter of James Edward Hendry and Lydia Carlton, his wife. The said Lydia Carlton was the daughter of Judge John Carlton (who was a son of Thomas Carleton, R. S. and Martha, his wife, of Duplin County, N. C.) and Nancy Ann Alderman (who was a daughter of David Alderman, R. S. and Jemima Hall, his wife, of Duplin County, N. C. and Bulloch County, Ga.). The said James Edward Hendry was the son of William Hendry (who was a son of Robert Hendry, R. S. and Ann Lee, his wife) and Nancy (McFail) Hendry (who was the daughter of James McFail, R. S. and Judith, his wife).

Adaline Hendry was born Feb. 4, 1832, died Nov. 8, 1895.

The children of James Thomas Wilson and Adeline (Hendry) Wilson, his wife, were:

1. Francis James Wilson, born Aug. 23, 1849,
   who married Caroline M. Starnes, Feb. 1, 1866.
2. Augustus Marion Wilson, born Dec. 26, 1850,
   who married Callie Crum, Dec. 31, 1868.
3. John Edward Wilson, born Mar. 29, 1853,
   who married: 1st. Marian Parker, Jan. 2, 1873;
   2nd. Lyde Waters, Feb. 17, 1883.
4. Mary Oregon Wilson, born May 4, 1855, died in infancy, Aug. 11, 1857.
5. Martha Livonia Wilson, born Mar. 17, 1857, died in infancy, Mar. 29, 1858.

6. Charles Cooper Wilson, born Dec. 28, 1858, died Nov. 29, 1907, who married Helen Mar Johnson, daughter of Milton Washington Johnson (Ephraim, Soasbe, R. S., Solomon) and Maria Ann (Knight) Johnson, his wife, on Jan. 31, 1883.

7. Alice Jane Wilson, born Apr. 27, 1861, died in infancy, Sept. 26, 1864.

8. Thomas Lee Wilson, born Jan. 30, 1863, who married Cora Hough, Aug. 4, 1892.

9. Hollie Estelle Wilson, born Nov. 4, 1864, died in infancy, Nov. 15, 1864.

10. Flossie Cornelia Wilson, born Sept. 2, 1866, who married Charles Edward Reed, Feb. 1, 1887.

11. Beulah Blanche Wilson, born Sept. 28, 1868, who married Ernest C. Smith, Aug. 7, 1890.

12. Laura Virginia Stanford Wilson, born Nov. 22, 1870, died Oct. 20, 1943, who married: 1st William B. Swearingen;
2nd. Maurice G. Riche.
(no children).

13. Samuel Moody Wilson, born Aug. 16, 1872, who married Mamie Keller, Aug. 12, 1894.

14. Helen Lydia Wilson, born Aug. 8, 1874, who married Ulysses A. Lightsey, Jan. 4, 1893.

15. Melville Asbury Hendry Wilson, born July 19, 1878.
(no children).

James Thomas Wilson and family lived in Thomas County, Georgia, until 1851 when he moved to Hillsborough County, Florida.

"Judge James T. Wilson moved to Hillsboro County, together with my father, James E. Hendry, in 1851. He went into the stock business, and at one time could count his herds by the thousands. He was also a farmer and fruit grower; was in the sawmill business, and foremost in all the business enterprises of Polk County. His home for more than thirty years was at Homeland; just prior to his death, however, he sold his entire possessions, including land, horses, groves, etc., at Homeland for $40,000. He had many reverses by becoming security for others, and otherwise, but was always in independent circumstances, and brought up his large family to become highly respected men and women. Possibly he fed more comers and goers -- friends, relatives and strangers -- than any man in Polk County. His horse-lot was full of horses, his wagon-yard full of vehicles, like a livery stable yard, and his table full of guests like a hotel. It was enough to have bankrupted any man of ordinary means. He was well known over five southern counties, and the number of his friends and acquaintances ran into the thousands.

Judge Wilson was one of the most liberal supporters of the church, and aided in everything that had charity or the advancement of morality and religion for its object. He was a good church member and an exemplary Christian, and died in the full enjoyment of the religion he had possessed, fully resigned to the will of the Master." (From page 20, "Family Record of Lydia (Carlton) Hendry, Moody".) By Judge George W. Hendry, 1900.

SENATOR CHARLES COOPER WILSON, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Mary (Hurst) Wilson, daughter of Thomas Hurst, son of William Hurst, R. S., was born in Manatee County, Florida, near where Polk, Hillsborough and Manatee County join, on Dec. 28, 1858. His parents moved over into Polk County, Florida, in 1863, where he lived the balance of his life. He died in San Francisco, California, Nov. 29, 1907, where he had gone for medical treatment, and is buried in the Wildwood Cemetery, at Bartow, Polk County, Florida.

On Jan. 31, 1883, at Bethel, now called Homeland, Polk County, Florida, he married Helen Mar Johnson, born at Alafia, Hillsborough County, Florida, Nov. 9, 1860, who is at this time (1944) living at Bartow, Florida. They lived at Ft. Meade, Florida, where their first four children were born, until Dec. 1887 when they moved to Bartow, Florida, where their other children were born.

Helen Mar Johnson was the daughter of Milton Washington Johnson of Sampson County, N. C., and Maria Ann Knight, his wife. The said Milton Washington Johnson being the son of Ephraim Johnson[3] (Soasbe[2], R.S., Solomon[1]) and Susannah Bland[6] (Wm.[5], Wm.[4], Wm.[3], Jas.[2], Jas.[1]) of Sampson County, N. C. The said Maria Ann Knight being the daughter of Jesse Knight (Samuel) and Rebecca Caroline Varn (Frederic, John), his wife. The mother of Jesse Knight was Mary (Roberts) Knight, daughter of Richard Roberts, R.S., and Tabitha, his wife.

Charles Cooper Wilson and Helen Mar Johnson, his wife, had the following children:

1. Bradley Carlisle, born Jan. 1, 1884, at Ft. Meade, Florida, who, on Apr. 17, 1917, married Edna Earle Boyd, born Sept. 10, 1889, daughter of Thomas Cooper Boyd and Elvira Martin, his wife. They have one child:

   (1) Edna Earle Wilson, born April 9, 1921.

2. Flossie Eugenia, born Jan. 31, 1885, died Dec. 3, 1885.

3. Milton D., born July 23, 1886, at Ft. Meade, Florida, who married Daphne Valerie Lewis, Nov. 18, 1914.

4. Tommie Lee, born Oct. 2, 1887, at Ft. Meade, Florida, who, on Feb. 23, 1916, married Judge Chester M. Wiggins, of Bartow, Florida, born April 25, 1889, son of John Robert Wiggins and Helen Johnson, his wife. They have two children:

    1. Thomas Chester Wiggins, born Feb. 26, 1918.
    2. Robert Charles Wiggins, born Jan. 6, 1920.

5. Chipley Charles, born Sept. 24, 1897, at Bartow, Florida, died July 21, 1902.

6. Annie Laura, born July 14, 1899, at Bartow, Florida, who, on Nov. 15, 1922, married Robert C. Hatton, of Bartow, Florida, born Sept. 21, 1896, son of Robert Champlain Hatton and Clara Ellen Timbrook, his wife. They have one child:

    1. Mary Jeanette, born Feb. 5, 1929.

7. Maurice James, born April 6, 1902, at Bartow, Florida, who, on Dec. 7, 1927, married Martha Ruth Cannon, Concord, N. C., born Jan. 22, 1902, daughter of William Franklin Cannon and Martha Virginia Morrison, his wife. They have two children:

    1. Nancy Cannon, born Feb. 16, 1932.
    2. Laura Virginia, born Sept. 27, 1939.

MILTON D. WILSON, son of Senator Charles Cooper Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, son of Mary (Hurst) Wilson, daughter of Thomas Hurst, son of William Hurst, R. S., was born at Ft. Meade, Florida, July 23, 1886. On Nov. 18, 1914, he married Daphne Valerie Lewis, born Nov. 18, 1886, in Polk County, Florida, daughter of Asa James Lewis and Isabelle Victoria (Johnson) Lewis, his wife. The above Asa James Lewis was the son of Asa Asbury Lewis (son of James Lewis and Mahala Story, his wife) and Nancy (Browning) Lewis, his wife; the said Nancy Browning being the daughter of Joshua Browning and Lydia Godwin (Hardy), his wife. The above Isabelle Victoria Johnson being the daughter of Solomon David Johnson and Martha Ann Sweat, his wife. The said Solomon David Johnson being the son of Jared Johnson (one of the first settlers of what is now Brooks County, Georgia) and Elizabeth Echols, his wife. The said Martha Ann Sweat being the daughter of John Sweat and Carlotta (Charlotte) Moore, his wife.

Children of Milton D. Wilson and Daphne Valerie Lewis, his wife, are:

1. Daphne Laura, born June 20, 1918, at Bartow, Florida.
   who married George William Ashley march 9 1944
2. Helen Isabelle, born May 20, 1926, at Bartow, Florida.

THE KNIGHT FAMILY

Compiled by Milton D. Wilson, Bartow, Florida

Many of the Knights of Georgia and Florida are descended from John Knight and Fancy, his wife.

John Knight, a Revolutionary Soldier, lived in Wayne County, Georgia, and drew land in the 1821 Land Lottery. (See page 237, "Roster of Revolutionary Soldiers in Georgia", published by Georgia Society of D.A.R., 1931).

John Knight and Fancy, his wife, had eight children among whom were:

1. William Knight
2. Jonathan Knight
3. Levi Knight
4. Abram (Abraham) Knight, the best man physically in Lowndes County; a fighter.
5. Samuel Knight, who married Mary Roberts, daughter of Richard Roberts, R. S. and his wife, Tobitha.

Isben Giddens, progenitor of the Giddens family in South Florida, married Keziah Knight, daughter of Rev. William A. Knight, affectionately called "Uncle Billy", who was related to the above Knight family, and Mary Knight, sister of Uncle Billy Knight, the Baptist Preacher, married William Hunter and their son, Wm. M. Hunter, was Sheriff of Wayne County, Georgia, 1814 and 1815; commissioned January 24, 1814. Their son, William M. Hunter, married Catherine Roberts, daughter of Richard Roberts, R. S. Mary (Knight) Hunter, after the death of her husband, William Hunter, married John L. Stewart.

The Knight family moved to Lowndes County, Georgia, after 1820.

The U. S. Census of Wayne County, Georgia for 1820 shows, among others, the following Knight heads of families:

1. Thomas Knight - age 26 to 45
2. Samuel Knight - age 26 to 45
3. W. A. Knight - age 26 to 45 - and also
4. Isaac Giddens - age 26 to 45

The U. S. Census of 1830 for Lowndes County, Georgia, shows, among others, the following Knight heads of families in Lowndes County, Georgia:

1. Jonathan Knight - age 60 to 70
2. Jonathan Knight - age 40 to 50
3. John Knight - age 20 to 30
4. Levi J. Knight
5. William A. Knight - age 50 to 60
6. William C. Knight - age 20 to 30
7. William Knight - age 20 to 30
8. Samuel Knight

Later some of the Knights and some of the Roberts moved to Hamilton County, Florida.

Fanny Knight, (widow of John Knight), died Nov. 2, 1844.

REV. SAMUEL KNIGHT, son of John Knight, R. S., was born November, 1793, died May 3, 1879 at the home of his grandson, Thomas S. Knight, in Charlotte Harbor, Manatee County, Florida. Samuel Knight married Mary Roberts, daughter of Richard Roberts, R. S. and wife, Tobitha, in 1810.

Richard Roberts was born in North Carolina and died in Camden County, Georgia, on Oct. 7, 1820.

REVOLUTIONARY RECORD. Richard Roberts served first in the Militia of North Carolina under Captain Simon Bright, then re-enlisted and served until peace was declared under Captain J. C. Hall, Major Hardee Murfree, Clarks 2nd Regiment of North Carolina. He was engaged in the battles of Great Bridge at Norfolk, Virginia, and in the battle of White Plains, and in the Southern Campaign under General Greene, and continued in the service "until peace", having served seven years.

He applied for a pension March 11, 1819, at which time he was living in Wayne County, Georgia. The above data was obtained from papers on file in the office of Veterans Administration, Washington, D. C., in claim for pension S.38339 based upon his service in the War of the Revolution. He was allowed pension on his said application dated March 11, 1819.

The Records of the General Accounting Office, Washington, D. C., concerning Richard Roberts, a pensioner of the Revolutionary War, Certificate No. 13965, Georgia Agency, show that on June 4, 1822, it was certified before a Notary Public in and for Camden County, Georgia, that Richard Roberts died on Oct. 7, 1820; that Letters of Administration on his estate were granted to William Hunter and Tobitha Roberts on June 4, 1821 by the Court of Ordinary for Camden County, Georgia, and that the last payment of pension, covering the period from Sept. 5, 1819 to Mar. 4, 1820, was made May 6, 1823, at the Pension Agency in Savannah, Georgia, to Edmond

Shearman, as Attorney for the Administrators.

Richard Roberts married Tobitha , born in North Carolina, died in 1841 in Hamilton County, Florida, near Jasper, Florida, at the home of her son-in-law, William M. Hunter, at an advanced age. Her funeral was preached by ("Uncle Billy") William A. Knight, the pioneer "Hardshell" Baptist Preacher of South Georgia in 1846, five years after her death.

Tobitha Roberts was a small woman and was very feeble in her old age and her head trembled from palsy.

Richard Roberts and his wife Tobitha had children, as follows:

1. Mary Roberts, born 1793 in South Carolina, died May 6, 1875 in Manatee County, Florida, who married Rev. Samuel Knight.
2. Catharine Roberts, born 1795 in South Carolina, died in Hamilton County, Florida, who, on Sept. 23, 1812, in Wayne County, Georgia, married William M. Hunter, whose mother was Mary (Knight) Hunter.
3. Zilpha Roberts, born 1803 in Georgia, died in Hamilton County, Florida, who, on July 28, 1824, in Wayne County, Georgia, married Archibald Hogans, and later moved to Hamilton County, Florida.
4. Joshua H. Roberts, born Mar. 31, 1811, in Georgia, died Jan. 2, 1882, in Hamilton County, Florida.
5. Sanderling Roberts, died young and unmarried.

Rev. Samuel Knight was a soldier in the three Seminole Indian Wars.

Rev. Samuel Knight was a Methodist preacher, the first in South Florida. He moved to Hillsborough County, Florida in 1844, and settled about four miles north of what is now called Plant City, near what is now known as Knight's Station. He had several slaves, some of whose names were Ike, Hannah, and Peter. He was also a

farmer and stock raiser, and a blacksmith and wheelwright. He had a large stock of range cattle and was in good financial circumstances in the later years of his life.

Samuel Knight and Mary (Roberts) Knight had the following children:

1. Fatima Knight, born Feb. 18, 1811, died
   who married Enoch Collins, Mar. 9, 1827.
2. Moses Knight, born Feb. 25, 1813, died 1815.
3. Aaron Knight, born Feb. 26, 1815, died Apr. 6, 1842, who married Jane Varn, daughter of Frederic Varn, Sept. 30, 1840. Issue one child: Martha Ann Caroline, born Dec. 4, 1842.
4. Jesse Knight, born Aug. 13, 1817, died Oct. 4, 1911, who married Rebecca Caroline Varn, daughter of Frederic Varn, Oct. 1, 1840.
5. Thomas Knight, born Mar. 1, 1820, died 1828.
6. Joel Knight, born Feb. 24, 1824, died Sept. 17, 1879, who married Virginia Mitchell, Mar. 29, 1848, a sister of Henry L. Mitchell, Governor of Florida.
7. Fancy Knight, born May 9, 1825, died Dec. 11, 1896, who married 1st John J. Zipperer, on Apr. 13, 1842; 2nd Jacob Summerlin, in 1846.
8. Elizabeth Knight, born Mar. 1, 1827, died May 3, 1912, who married Elhannan McCall, Feb. 6, 1842.
9. Mary Knight, born Mar. 6, 1829, died Mar. 5, 1894, who married George Hambleton, Sept. 10, 1849.
10. Martha Knight, born Oct. 30, 1832, died
    who married Dr. Samuel Bryant Todd, Dec. 25, 1849.

REV. JESSE KNIGHT, son of Samuel, son of John Knight, R. S., was born in Wayne County, Georgia, Aug. 18, 1817, died in Manatee County, Florida, Oct. 4, 1911. He married Rebecca Caroline Varn, daughter of Frederic Varn and Sarah Hiers, his wife, in Hamilton County, Florida, on Oct. 1, 1840. Frederic Varn was a son of John Varn and Ann Baker, his wife. The said Sarah Hiers was the daughter of Jacob Hiers, R. S. and Catherine Howard, his wife. Rebecca Caroline Varn was born in South Carolina, Nov. 27, 1825, died in Manatee County, Florida, Apr. 7, 1901.

Jesse Knight and Rebecca Caroline (Varn) Knight had the following children:

1. Sarah Jane Knight, born May 1, 1842, died
   who married Shadrick Hancock.
2. Maria Ann Knight, born Aug. 25, 1843, died Mar. 20, 1907, who married: 1st. Milton Washington Johnson, son of Ephraim Johnson (Soasbe, R.S.) and Susannah (Bland) Johnson, his wife;
   2nd. Wilson Brooks Brown (Robert, John, R.S.).
3. Aaron Washington Knight, born Oct. 7, 1845, died July 1, 1864, unmarried.
4. Mary Louisa Knight, born July 22, 1847, died Nov. 8, 1863.
5. William Samuel Knight, born Apr. 4, 1849, died
   who married Martha Ann Collins.
6. Levi Jonathan Knight, born Jan. 19, 1851, died
   who married Alice Parker.
7. Jesse Joshiah Knight, born May 22, 1852, died
   who married Mary Hill Wrede.
8. James Zachariah Knight, born Jan. 21, 1854, died
   who married Jane Isabelle Wilder.
9. Frances Victoria Knight, born Sept. 26, 1855, died
   who married Charles Oliver Curry.

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MARIA ANN KNIGHT, daughter of Jesse, son of Samuel, son of John, R. S., was born Aug. 25, 1843, died Mar. 20, 1907. On Sept. 2, 1858, she married Milton Washington Johnson, son of Ephraim Johnson (Sosabe, R.S) and Susannah Bland (Wm., Wm., Wm., James, James), his wife. Milton Washington Johnson was born in Sampson County, North Carolina, Jan. 18, 1828, died Aug. 13, 1867 in Hillsborough County, Florida.

Milton Washington Johnson served in the U. S. Army in the Seminole Indian War in Florida as a First Lieutenant. He also served in the Southern Army in the Civil War as a First Lieutenant. On reaching Florida, with his mother and brother, Enoch Johnson, in 1840, he first settled on Lake Thonotassa in Hillsborough County, Florida; he later moved to what was then known as Alafia in Hillsborough County, Florida, where all of his children were born. He became quite prosperous and a large cattle owner, and was a large shipper of cattle to Cuba. He caught yellow fever and died Aug. 13, 1867.

Maria Ann (Knight) Johnson and Milton Washington Johnson, her husband, had the following children:

1. Susan Caroline Johnson, born Aug. 26, 1859, died Aug. 29, 1859.
2. Helen Mar Johnson, born Nov. 9, 1860, died
   who married Charles Cooper Wilson, Jan. 31, 1883.
3. Mary Eugenia Johnson, born Mar. 2, 1862, died
   who married George McChesney Craig, Apr. 3, 1893.
4. Albert Sydney Johnson, born July 26, 1883, died
   who married Mae Cilla Brower, July 2, 1893.

After the death of Milton Washington Johnson, his widow, Maria Ann, married Wilson Brooks Brown (Robert, John, R.S.), on Dec. 22, 1869.

Wilson Brooks Brown was born Oct. 28, 1836, died

Maria Ann and her husband, Wilson Brooks Brown, had the following children:

5. Carlotta Lee Brown, born Mar. 10, 1871, died Nov. 21, 1936, who married Will O. Jones.
6. John Raleigh Brown, born Feb. 19, 1872, died Apr. 4, 1882.
7. Robert Howard Brown, born May 4, 1873, died who married Junie Keesee Campbell.
8. Thomas Telfair Brown, born Nov. 1, 1874, died who married Mollie McEwen.
9. Frederick Franklin Brown, born Nov. 25, 1876, died May 19, 1908, who married Edna McEwen.

HELEN MAR JOHNSON, daughter of Maria Ann (Knight) Johnson, daughter of Jesse Knight, son of Samuel Knight, was born at Alafia in Hillsborough County, Florida, Nov. 9, 1860. She married Charles Cooper Wilson, son of Judge James Thomas Wilson, (Allen Wilson, Capt. James Wilson, R. S.) and Adaline Hendry, (James Edward, Wm., Robert, R.S.), Jan. 31, 1883. The said James Thomas Wilson was the son of Allen Wilson and Mary Hurst, his wife. Allen Wilson was the son of Capt. James Wilson, R. S., of Effingham County, Georgia, and Ann Gordon, his wife. The said Mary Hurst was the daughter of Thomas Hurst and Serena Wylly, his wife. The said Thomas Hurst was the son of William Hurst, R. S. and Mary, his wife. The said Adaline Hendry was the daughter of James Edward Hendry and Lydia Carlton, his wife. The said James Edward Hendry was the son of William Hendry and Nancy McFall, his wife. The said William Hendry was the son of Robert Hendry, R. S. and Ann Lee, his wife. The said Nancy McFall was the daughter of James McFall, R. S. and Judith, his wife. The said Lydia Carlton was the daughter of Judge John Carlton and Nancy Ann Alderman, his wife. The said John Carlton was the son of Thomas Carleton, R. S., of Duplin County, North Carolina, and Martha, his wife. The said Nancy Ann Alderman was the daughter of David Alderman, R. S. (Daniel, Thomas, Wm.) and Jemima Hall, his wife. Charles Cooper Wilson was born in Manatee County, Florida, Dec. 23, 1858, died Nov. 29, 1907.

The children of Charles Cooper Wilson and Helen Mar (Johnson) Wilson, are:

1. Bradley Carlisle Wilson, born Jan. 1, 1884, at Ft. Meade, Florida, who, on April 17, 1917, married Edna Earle Boyd, born Sept. 10, 1889, daughter of Thomas Cooper Boyd and Elvira Martin, his wife. They have one child:

    1. Edna Earle Wilson, born April 9, 1921.

2. Flossie Eugenia Wilson, born Jan. 31, 1885, died Dec. 3, 1885.

3. Milton D. Wilson, born July 23, 1886, at Ft. Meade, Florida, who married Daphne Valerie Lewis, Nov. 18, 1914.

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    1. Thomas Chester Wiggins, born Feb. 26, 1918.
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    1. Mary Jeanette, born Feb. 5, 1929.

7. Maurice James Wilson, born April 6, 1902, at Bartow, Florida, who, on Dec. 7, 1927, married Martha Ruth Cannon, Concord, N. C., born Jan. 22, 1902, daughter of William Franklin Cannon and Martha Virginia Morrison, his wife. They have two children:

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    2. Laura Virginia Wilson, born Sept. 27, 1939.

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99	Robert Brown	45	Georgia
	John V. Brown	19	"
	David W. Brown	17	Florida
	George W. Brown	15	"
	William B. Brown	13	"
	Epaminondas Brown	9	"
	Oregon C. Brown	4	"
	Eliza A. C. Brown	2	"
	Eliza Brooks	55	"

ROBERT AND CLEMENTINA PENDERGAST BROWN

Bible owned by Mrs. J. K. White, Lake Park, Ga.

BIRTHS:

Robert Brown, second son of John and Sarah Brown - - - - - 12-14-1804

Eliza Ann Clemintina Pendergast, first daughter of Vincent and Eliza Pendergast - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 5-29-1811

John Vincent Brown - - - - - - - - - - - - - Morning 9- -1830

David Willard - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Afternoon 8-10-1832

George Washington Brown - 11-15-1834

Wilson Brooks - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Morning 10-28-1836

Georgia Ann Florida - - - - - - - - - - - - 4:00 A. M. 12-25-1838

Epaninondas Brown - - - - - - - - - - - - - 11:00 P. M. 4-11-1841

Orregan Calhoun Brown - - - - - - - - - - - 11:00 P. M. 5-16-1846

Eliza Clemintine - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 7:45 A. M. 10-24-1848

Ann Brown, daughter of David and Elizabeth Brown - - - - - 8-11-1817

DEATHS:

George W. Brown - - - - - - - - - - - 1- 5-1884

John Vincent Brown - - - - - - - - - -11-25-1895, Suwanee Shoals, Fla.

David Willard Brown, (died on train between Baldwin and Gainesville, Fla.)

Orrigan Calhoun Hutchingson (nee) Brown, Thomasville, Ga. - 5-10-1899

Georgia Ann Florida Brown - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 10- 6-1843

Elizabeth Clemintina - 10-29-1848

Robert Brown - 2-28-1860

Ann Brown - 8- 7-1843

SLAVES:

BIRTHS:

Binkey - - - - - - - - -	12- -1827	Cato - - - - - - - - - -	3- -1850
Jim F. Ro - - - - - - -	10- -1831	Gilbert - - - - - - - -	7- -1851
Lou - - - - - - - - - -	8- -1833	Harriet - - - - - - - -	9- -1852

Cindy - - - - - - - - - 3- -1836 Mariah Lewis' 2nd.
- - - - - - - - - - - - 12- 2-1815 child - - - - - - - 2- -1852
Emily Rouis' 2nd child 1- -1849

DEATHS:

Binkoy - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 12- 2-1845, age 18 yrs.
Big Joe - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 11- -1850, age 34 yrs.
Little Joe - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 4- -1857, age 18 yrs.
Sam - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 5- -1857, age 100 yrs, about.
Charlotte - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 9- -1857, age 50 yrs, about.
Cooper - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 11- -1858, age 60 yrs."

Page 347, Historical Collections of the Georgia Chapters
National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, 1932.

See also page 298

"Epaminondas Brown, of Lake City, was born in Columbia county, April 29, 1841; son of Robert and Clementine (Pendergast) Brown. His grandfather, Jack Brown, was a soldier of the Revolutionary war and settled in Camden county, Ga., where the father of the subject of this sketch was born, raised and married. Robert Brown moved to Florida in 1830, located at Suwannee Shoals, Columbia county, where he became a prosperous farmer, was a veteran of the early Seminole wars being in command of a regiment with the rank of colonel; afterward was county judge of this county and later served in both branches of the Florida legislature, and was repeatedly urged to accept other high political honors. The subject of this note was educated in the high schools of Thomasville, Ga., and remained on his father's farm until the civil war. He served as a lieutenant in Company C, Fourth Florida regiment, until the re-organization in April, 1862; after that assisted in raising the Second Florida battalion, and after the battle of Olustee went to Virginia where they were engaged almost daily in the fierce battles of 1864-65, remaining with the army of Northern Virginia until the surrender of Lee at Appomattox. Locating at Blount's Ferry, he began a general merchandise business in 1867 and successfully conducted his affairs at this point for thirty years, when he moved to Lake City to give his children the advantage of that city's fine school system. His time has been occupied with looking after the land interests of the East Coast lumber company, of which he is land agent, since his removal to Lake City. While living at Blount's Ferry he was postmaster for twenty-five years. He was married to Mary J., daughter of James L. and Sophia (Blount) King, July 3, 1862, and eleven children were born to them: Mrs. Clementine Moody, who died at Monticello; Ewell, a merchant of Lake Park; Robert, merchant at Blount's Ferry;

Gordon, merchant at Lake City; Mack and Nick, school boys; Mrs. James L. King, of Macon, Ga.; Mrs. J. K. White, Lake Park, Ga.; Ruth; Jane, teacher of music in the Florida Agricultural college; and Orrie."

Page 457, Vol. 1, Memoirs of Florida, by Rowland H. Rerick, 1902.

THE VARN FAMILY

The Varn family of the South is descended from two brothers, John Varn and Jacob Varn, all of whom immigrated from Germany after the Revolutionary War and settled in what was then known as the Northern part of Orangeburg District of South Carolina, in the vicinity of what is now Lexington, South Carolina, later (1790-1795) moving with their families to Prince William Parrish in Beaufort District, South Carolina.

John Varn married Anna (Nancy) Baker, in Lexington District of South Carolina, where his older children were born. John Varn, his wife and children moved from Lexington District, South Carolina, subsequent to 1790, (1790-1795), and settled in what is now known as Hampton County, South Carolina, about 18 miles North of the town now known as Hampton, on the West side of Saltketchers River.

The First Census of the United States of 1790 for the State of South Carolina shows three Varn Families all living in Orangeburg District, North part; they were:

1. John Varn, whose family consisted of himself, 2 boys under 16, and 3 females (one of which consisted of his wife), also 2 slaves.
2. Jacob Varn, whose family consisted of himself, 2 boys over 16, 6 boys under 16, and 2 females, and 1 slave.
3. Benjamin Varn, whose family consisted of himself, and 1 female, (probably his wife). Benjamin Varn was probably a son of Jacob.

John Varn died about 1820, and his wife died about 1825.

Anna (Nancy) Baker, wife of John Varn, was probably born in Lexington District on the Congaree in South Carolina. Her father came from Germany.

Anna (Nancy) Baker Varn, wife of John Varn, had a brother, William Baker, born on the Congaree, South Carolina, Sept. 14, 1759, died in Lexington, South Carolina, Mar. 3, 1829. He married Barbara Lykes, Jan. 1, 1790, who died at the Baker home, 14 miles from Columbia, South Carolina, on the Charleston-Columbia Stage Road, Apr. 3, 1816.

Their children were:

1. Mary Ann Baker, born Mar. 5, 1791, who married David Wannamaker.
2. Lewis Baker, born Dec. 25, 1793, died in infancy.
3. Ann Baker, born Feb. 21, 1795, who married William Geiger.
4. Lavinia Baker, born Aug. 31, 1797, who married Henry Seibels.
5. William Baker, born Aug. 17, 1801, died Sept. 30, 1854, who married Mary Muller.
6. Harriet Baker, born Oct. 16, 1803, died June 18, 1894, who married Louis Pou.
7. John Rufus Baker, who died unmarried at age of 17.
8. Ellen Barbara Baker, born Jan. 1, 1809, died May 28, 1881, who married John Conrad Geiger.

The father of William Baker and Ann (Baker) Varn was an orphan coming from Anson County, North Carolina, into South Carolina, and was comparatively poor when he came into the Lexington District. He became very wealthy.

The first United States Census of 1790 shows William Baker to be living in Orangeburg District, North Part, and that his family consisted of himself, 2 females (wife + sister), and 8 slaves.

John Varn and Anna (Baker) Varn, his wife, had the following children:

1. William T. Varn, born June 29, 1783, died Nov. 4, 1861, who married Easther Broxton, Apr. 4, 1811.
2. Margaret Varn, born , died who married Rivers.

3. Mary Varn, born , 1786, died after 1850,
who married Frederick Mole.

4. Frederic Varn, born Dec. 6, 1788, died Nov. , 1867, who
married Sarah Hiers, daughter of Jacob Hiers, Mar. 11,
1819.

5. Ursula Varn, born , 1794, died about 1854,
who married Josiah Murdaugh.

6. Anna Varn, born , 1797, died , 1854,
who married David Miley, Oct. 19, 1820.

Old family bible of John Varn thought, (in 1912), to be in hands of Henry Miley, son of Anna (Varn) Miley.

Frederic Varn, son of John Varn, was born in the North part of Orangeburg District, South Carolina, in the vicinity of Lexington, South Carolina, Dec. 6, 1788, died near what is now Bartow, Polk County, Florida, Nov. , 1867. He moved with his parents when a small boy to what is now known as Hampton County, South Carolina.

On Mar. 11, 1819, he married Sarah Hiers, daughter of Jacob Hiers, (son of Jacob), and Catharine Howard, his wife. Sarah Hiers was born in the South Part of Orangeburg District, South Carolina, Feb. 21, 1802, died at her home about two miles South of Bartow, Polk County, Florida, Apr. 5, 1864.

Jacob Hiers, the father of Sarah Hiers, was living in the South part of Orangeburg District in South Carolina in 1790, as shown by the first United States Census of 1790, for South Carolina, at which time his family consisted of himself, 1 boy over 16 years of age, 6 boys under 16 years of age, and 3 females, (one of which no doubt was his wife). This census also shows, in the same district, Christopher Hiers, whose family consisted of himself, 4 boys under 16 years of age, and 2 females.⊗ These are the only two Hiers families shown by the 1790 Census as living in South Carolina. There were 2 other brothers - Michael & John Hiers all born in Germany & arrived in Chas. S.C. with parents on 10-23-1751 - according to Chas. Gazette of 10 , From this Census it is shown that Jacob Hiers was born not later than about the year 1753. See about - before 11-23-1751

Mr. B. R. Hiers, an Attorney at Law, of Hampton, South Carolina, a descendant of Jacob Hiers, writes in 1905, "My grandfather, Jacob Hiers, came to this State from Georgia."

After the death of Jacob Hiers, his widow, Catharine (Howard) Hiers, married Duncan Stuart, and she had one child by this marriage, a daughter, Catherine C. Stuart, born 1809, who married Joseph Smyly. Catherine C. Smyly lived at Buckhead Causey, South Carolina, in 1859. Catherine (Stuart) Smyly and her husband had a son, Charles Smyly, who lived in Ruffin, South Carolina, in 1912.

⊗ This is error - The Charleston, S.C. dist., St Bartholomew Parish shows 4 Hiers families in 1790. Jacob Hier, John Hier, Michael Hier & Godfrey Hier. The line dividing Orangeburg & Chas. Dist. (R.R.) is about 1½ miles from the 300 acre farm their father - Jacob Sr immigrated from Germany

As shown by the U. S. Census of Colleton County, South Carolina, for 1860, the children of Joseph Smyly and Catherine (Stuart) Smyly, his wife, were:

1. Sarah M. Smyly, born 1833
2. John Smyly, born 1835
3. Joseph Smyly, born 1838
4. Duncan S. Smyly, born 1839
5. Charles Smyly, born 1841
6. Martha S. Smyly, born 1844
7. Charity Smyly, born 1846
8. James H. Smyly, born 1853

In addition to the above children, the 1850 U. S. Census of Colleton County, South Carolina, shows:

9. Mahala C. Smyly, born 1836
10. Angelina V. Smyly, born 1847

Jacob Hiers and his wife, Catharine (Howard) Hiers, had the following children, (and probably others):

1. Anna Susannah Hiers, born 1791, who married William Parker, and was living at Johnson Station (now Ludowici), Georgia, in 1863. They had a son, Hampton C. Parker.
2. Richard Hiers, who died in 1837-38, in Georgia, while visiting his sisters.
3. Mary (Polly) Hiers, born 1796, who married Rev. Paul Johnson, born 1788, (M.E. Church), and was living near Valdosta, Georgia, in 1863.
4. Elizabeth A. b. 1806, Ga., a daughter who married:
   1st. Sineath;
   2nd. Reuben Roberts, of Lowndes Co., Ga.
5. Sarah Hiers, born Feb. 21, 1802, died Apr. 5, 1864, who married Frederic Varn, son of John Varn.

The above Richard Hiers had children:

1. Richard J. Hiers, who was the father of Barney R. Hiers, an Attorney at Law, of Hampton, South Carolina.
2. Mary F. Hiers, born Jan. 24, 1835, who was living at Lodge, South Carolina, in 1912, and who married a Hiers.
3. George W. Hiers, who was living at Smoaks, South Carolina, in 1912.

Frederic Varn, (John), about 1836, moved from what is now Hampton County, South Carolina, with his family, to near Salem Church, a few miles northwest of Mahira, Lowndes County, Georgia. He later moved to Hamilton County, Florida, where he obtained land patents from the U. S. in Nov. 1839; and in 1847 moved from Hamilton County, Florida, to a place about three miles northwest of what is now Plant City, Florida; then in 1853 he moved to what is now Polk County, Florida, and settled at a place about two miles south of the present city of Bartow, Polk County, Florida, then known as Pease Creek, Hillsborough County, where he and his wife lived until their deaths. Both are buried in the "Old" Cemetery at Bartow, Florida.

Frederic Varn, (John), together with Readding Blount, Riley R. Blount, John Davidson, and Streaty Parker, were the original settlers of what is now the City of Bartow, Florida.

The wife of the above Readding Blount was Elizabeth Varn, daughter of Benjamin Varn, who was probably a son of Jacob; Benjamin Varn being a first cousin of Frederic Varn, (John).

The above Riley R. Blount was a son of the above Readding Blount and Elizabeth (Varn) Blount, his wife, and the said Riley R. Blount married Jane Varn, daughter of Frederic Varn, son of John Varn.

The above John Davidson married Eve Varn, whose father was a brother of the above mentioned Benjamin Varn, and whose mother

was a sister of the wife of the above Benjamin Varn. The above Benjamin Varn was also a brother of the above mentioned Aaron Varn, father of Gabriel Varn, at whose home William T. Varn, (son of John), died in 1861.

The above Streaty Parker married Mary Eve Blount, daughter of above Readding Blount and Elizabeth Varn, his wife.

Frederic Varn and Sarah (Hiers) Varn, his wife, had the following children:

1. Samuel R. Varn, born Aug. 28, 1822, died single at age of 36.
2. Jane Varn, born Feb. 8, 1824, died Nov. 15, 1878, who married:
   1st. Aaron Knight;
   2nd. Riley R. Blount.
3. Rebecca Caroline Varn, born Nov. 27, 1825, died Apr. 7, 1901, who married Jesse Knight, son of Samuel, son of John.
4. Mariah Louise Varn, born May 1, 1827, died who married Henry M. Stephens.
5. Anna K. Varn, born July 14, 1830, died about 1855, who married William Roebuck.
6. William Baker Varn, born May 14, 1833, died Nov. 4, 1904, who married Ellen S. Seward, daughter of Zachariah G. Seward.
7. Josiah Varn, born Feb. 12, 1835, died in Civil War, who married Victoria Martha Seward, daughter of Zachariah G. Seward.
8. Mary W. Varn, born Jan. 3, 1837, died
9. Sarah Varn, born Jan. 29, 1839, died who married James Hambleton.
10. Frances S. Varn, born Mar. 24, 1841, died who married George Washington Hendry, son of James Edward, William, Robert, R.S.
11. Eleanor Varn, born Nov. 27, 1843, died an infant.
12. Frederick Newton Varn, born Aug. 30, 1847, still alive 1912, who married Mary L. Seward, daughter of Zachariah G. Seward.

HEADS OF FAMILIES, BY THE NAME OF BROWN, AS SHOWN
BY THE U. S. CENSUS OF CAMDEN COUNTY, GEORGIA 1830.

Page Town of St. Marys, Georgia:

182 Christopher Brown
1 male 20 to 30 years

182 John Brown
1 male 60 to 70 years

Great Satilla River and Settlements near it:

186 Robert Brown
1 male 15 to 20 years
1 male 20 to 30 years
1 female 15 to 20 years
10 Slaves

186 Ezekiel Brown
1 male 5 to 10 years
1 male 30 to 40 years
1 female under 5 years
1 female 20 to 30 years

187 John C. Brown
1 male 20 to 30 years

187 Wilson Brooks
1 male 5 to 10 years
1 male 40 to 50 years
1 female 10 to 15 years
1 female 30 to 40 years
3 Slaves

187 Rigdon Brown
1 male 10 to 15 years
1 male 30 to 40 years
1 female 30 to 40 years

190 David Brown
2 males 10 to 15 years
1 male 30 to 40 years
1 female under 5 years
1 female 5 to 10 years
2 females 10 to 15 years
1 female 30 to 40 years

191 Eliz'th Brown

1 male under 5 years
1 male 5 to 10 years
1 male 20 to 30 years
1 female 5 to 10 years
1 female 30 to 40 years

191 William Brown

1 male under 5 years
1 male 15 to 20 years
1 male 40 to 50 years
1 female 5 to 10 years
1 female 10 to 15 years
1 female 30 to 40 years

Hugh Brown

1 male 5 to 10 years
2 males 10 to 15 years
1 male 30 to 40 years
1 female under 5 years
1 female 5 to 10 years
2 females 10 to 15 years
1 female 30 to 40 years

10 Slaves